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SUMMARY.

The French Premier has announced the introduction of a bill to pension female workers and peasant women.

M. Briand said he looked to some form of profit-sharing to solve the problem of capital and labour.

The Ministry, M. Briand further stated, would not remain in office if beset by petty intrigues.

The Young Socialist party of Sweden, in revenge for the failure of the strike, sent two employers bombs by post.

One employer had three fingers blown off. The bomb sent to the other missed fire.

The Kabyle tribes of Nador and Barraca, in the Riff country, utterly exhausted, have sent a white flag to the Spaniards.

General D'Amade, lately commanding the French forces in Morocco, has been retired for criticising the Spanish position.

Bu-Hamara, the Moroccan Pretender, was devoured alive by starved lions by the Sultan's command.

Government amendments numbering 182 have been tabled to the first part of the Finance Bill.

Mr. Lloyd-George, after his speech on the Budget in the Palace Theatre, addressed 6000 at an overflow meeting.

Opposition newspapers declare that Mr. Lloyd-George's speech was a deliberate attempt to set class against class.

Lady Constance Lytton was arrested while breaking a barrier with a hatchet at Mr. Lloyd-George's meeting.

Sir Chas. Lucas, on arrival in England, laid stress on Australasia's desire to co-operate with England in matters of common interest.

Harland and Wolff state that they do not contemplate an extension of shipbuilding to Canada at present.

The Ottawa free press strongly favours the proposition to build the vessels for the Canadian navy in Canada.

Young Turk officials are determined to further the Mesopotamian irrigation scheme of Sir Wm. Willcocks.

Sir A. Godley, Permanent Under-Secretary for India, has resigned, and is succeeded by Sir R. Ritchie.

The United Irish League (U.S.A.) promises generous financial support to the Irish Parliamentary party in England.

The King of Denmark has conferred upon Lieutenant Shackleton the commandership of the Dannebrog Order.

Two hundred and fifty thousand people attended a flying carnival proceeding at Juvisy, 14 miles from Paris.

A sensational discovery of naphtha was made at Kuban, in North Caucasia. £2,000,000 worth was accidentally destroyed.

There is no sign of a settlement at South Clifton, and matters are now assuming a more serious aspect.

The two men who refused to pay the union fine were jostled on their way to work by shouting men and women.

An immense crowd waited for the men on their return from the mine, women being particularly aggressive.

After a hostile demonstration the men were rushed, jostled, and pelted with eggs. Extra police have arrived.

A meeting was held in the Australia Hotel yesterday to consider the question of establishing an annual flower carnival day.

It was decided to form "The Flower Carnival Society of New South Wales," with Mr. F. E. Winchcombe as president.

The carnival will probably take the form of a procession of flower-decked vehicles through the principal streets.

In the Industrial Court yesterday an important point was raised in connection with skilled labour and infirm workers.

Several cases against convents and homes, alleging breaches of laundry conditions, failed in the Arbitration Court yesterday.

Mr. Justice Street, sitting in Equity, yesterday granted a petition for the winding-up of the Pacific Fisheries, Ltd.

A checker of postal notes told the Postal Commission that after 18 years' service she was receiving 29s weekly.

Witness said some girls earned only 7s weekly. Senator De Largie regarded the wages "a miserable pittance."

The Victorian Minister for Agriculture regards Mr. Perry's action respecting potato blight as scandalous.

He says that until New South Wales removes the prohibition against Victoria the latter must continue to penalise Tasmania.

The Victorian Premier is preparing a bill directed against certain kinds of private hospitals referred to recently by the Coroner.

A new trial in the "Age" libel action, in which Mr. Swinburne secured £3256 damages, has been refused by the Full Court.

The weekly return of the Pensions Commission shows that 3432 claims were received from New South Wales and 1988 granted.

New pensions numbering 15,029, added to 40,190 transferred from the States, brings the total Federal pensioners to 55,219.

The Rev. Charles E. Amos, Church of England chaplain at Darlinghurst, died suddenly on Sunday evening.

He was conducting service in the schoolhall, Longueville, and died before pronouncing the Benediction.

The Prime Minister has ordered the preparation of a definite basis of work for a non-political commission on the sugar industry.

The Commission is to inquire into the incidence and effect of the bounty and excise provisions.

It will also probably advise in regard to legislation to maintain the "White Labour Policy."

Mr. Kidston hopes to pass the Queensland University Bill in time to inaugurate the University on December 10.

The Queensland Premier also proposes to mark the State's Jubilee by inaugurating a water and Sewerage system.

The Agent-General for New South Wales will represent also Victoria and Tasmania at the Hague International "Natural Resources" Conference.

The Governor-General, addressing the Boy Scouts, said the scout movement might do much good if undertaken seriously.

Dr. Norris will probably leave Melbourne this week to inquire into the delay of mail steamers through the quarantine regulations.

Sir Joseph Ward says New Zealand is on the eve of renewed prosperity for some years.

Captain Alfred J. A. Mann, master of the steamer River Clyde, died suddenly whilst being taken to Newcastle Hospital.

After many weeks of idleness the Hetton colliery resumed work yesterday. It is now considered perfectly safe.

For the week ended October 2 the railway receipts are reported to have reached a record—£135,575.

Approximately 10,000 children will take part in the South Sydney Public Schools' demonstration in aid of the South Sydney Hospital.

An open-air meeting at Broken Hill on Saturday night decided to again agitate for a better water supply.

Of 5000 sheep travelling from Tooralo to Rockley 340 were found dead, apparently lightning-struck.

The Government does not intend to carry out the recommendations of the Royal Commission in regard to the M'Myler hoist.

Mr. Wade takes Mr. Bruce Smith to task for his speech in the House of Representatives on Federal-State finance.

On every hand the Western district of the State shows the blessings of a good season.

The Institute of Incorporated Accountants of N.S.W. held its first annual dinner last night.

A weak market was experienced yesterday morning in some silver shares. Copper scrip was listless.

The outstanding feature of a quiet afternoon was the firm demand for shares in the Kyloe Copper Mines.

Forecast.—Fine in south-western quarter, otherwise unsettled and muggy generally, with scattered rain and thunderstorms; variable winds, some squalls likely.

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MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, ALBANY, FREMANTLE.—EVARRA, 12 noon, SATURDAY, October 16 (7000 tons, Twin-screw, Deck Cabins).

BRISBANE (Transhipping at Brisbane for Maryborough, Bundaberg, and Gladstone), ROCKHAMPTON (Wharf).—BURWAH (Cargo only), THIS DAY, Tuesday, 5 p.m., October 12. TIME (Cargo only), TUESDAY, 5 p.m., October 19.

BRISBANE, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE (Transhipping for all other QUEENSLAND PORTS).—PEREGRINE, 3 p.m., SATURDAY, October 16. BOMBALA, 3 p.m., SATURDAY, October 23. COOMA, 3 p.m., SATURDAY, October 30.
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MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE (Transhipping to S.A. Gulf Ports), ALBANY (Transhipping to Hopetoun and Esperance), FREMANTLE (Transhipping to PERTH, GERALDTON, and NORTH-WEST PORTS).—KANOWNA, SATURDAY, NOON, OCTOBER 30. 7000 Tons, Twin Screw, Deck Cabins. Carrying First and Second Saloon and Steerage Passengers. Inspection invited. Early application for berths necessary.

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BRISBANE, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE (Town Wharf), TOWNSVILLE (Jetty Wharf), †LUCINDA, †GERALDTON, †MOURILYAN, CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS, COOKTOWN.—ARAWATTA, THIS DAY, Tuesday, 7 p.m., October 12. WYREEMA (new steamer, twin screw, 6500 tons), TUESDAY, 8 p.m., October 19. WODONGA, TUESDAY, 7 p.m., October 26. WYANDRA, TUESDAY, 7 p.m., November 2.

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PROGRESSIVE THOUGHT CENTRE, 5 Moore-street. Mr. W. FRITCH, an able Lecturer from U.S.A., WED., 3 p.m., "How Jesus Healed." At 8 p.m., "Emerson: the Man and his Philosophy." Adm. 6d.

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American Hooded Piano Box Buggy (B.M.) and set of Pony Harness, in good order.

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On account Messrs. PERRY and CHRISTEY, Dubbo.

70 HIGH-CLASS HORSES, comprising—

60 specially good Heavy and Medium Draughts, all in tip-top condition, principally 4 and 5 years old, worthy the attention of BREWERS, MILLERS, HEAVY CONTRACTORS, and others; the balance suitable for cabs, business, carts, carcase, and cordial waggons; and some really good shipping horses and ponies.

Messrs. PERRY and CHRISTEY advise the above as a tip-top lot of specially selected Horses, including also some first-class Extra Heavy Shafters, among them 2 DAPPLE GREYS, 4 and 5 yrs.; also a splendid Bay Draught Gelding, bearing the well-known — over B brand.

The light Horses comprise a consignment bred by the DALTON ESTATE, all 4 yrs. old, sired by KILBRUSH; also an upstanding Bay Gelding, 16 hands, by GLOBE, winner of 2 first prizes as a buggy horse; also some exceptionally good Baker's Cart and Light Delivery Van Horses; also 1 Black Pony Filly, 14 hands, 3 yrs., by Hindoo, dam a winner.

On account of Mr. F. KIRBY.

Brown Draught Gelding, broken in and staunch.

On account of Mr. C. J. STONE, Arncliffe.

Bay Draught Gelding, 5 yrs., good worker, suit a lorry.

ST. MARY'S CATTLE SALE.

FRIDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 15th,

AT 1 O'CLOCK.

900 HEAD. 900.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction as above, when they will offer the following, viz.:—

200 STEERS, 12 to 18 months old.
100 HEAD, comprising 20 Steers, 2 to 2½ years old, 20 really good Store Cows, the balance 60 Mixed Young Cattle, 12 to 18 months old, all in real good condition.
60 HEAD, comprising 40 Steers, 12 months old, and 20 Choice Dairy Heifers, the same ages, reds and roans.
45 HEAD, comprising 20 good coloured Steers, principally reds and roans, 12 months old; 10 Choice Dairy Heifers, mostly reds and roans, Jersey Crosses, 2 to 3 years old, some showing in calf; 10 superior Dairy Heifers, 9 months old.
40 good 3-year-old STEERS.
40 HEAD, comprising 20 4-year-old Bullocks, 10 2½-year-old Steers, and 10 good Dairy Heifers.
20 High-class DAIRY HEIFERS, 1½ to 2 years old.
35 Springing COWS and HEIFERS and newly-calved Cows.
30 Choice STEERS, 1 to 2 years old.
75 HEAD, comprising 50 HEIFERS and STEERS, 9 months to 2 years old, and 25 Store Cows.
100 STEERS, 6 to 9 months old.
18 BULLOCKS, 3 to 4 years old, in forward condition.
14 DAIRY HEIFERS, 2 years old, forward, in calf.
41 STEERS, 12 to 18 months old.
150 STEERS, 1 to 2½ years.

TRAIN leaves Sydney at 10.30 a.m., returning at 3.42 and 6.47 p.m.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY, 2.30 P.M.

J. H. BEALE and CO. will sell by auction.

Account Mr. J. McClintock, South Coast (by Boat). 16 Horses, comprising a pair of well-matched Grey Ponies, 13 hands; 5 Horses, suitable for bakers' carts or cabs; Pony, 4 yrs., 14 hands; and a Bay Gelding, splendid buggy horse.

BLACKTOWN CATTLE SALE.

200 HEAD. 200

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, at 1.15 p.m.

A. McILLREE and CO. will hold usual MONTHLY SALE at their BLACKTOWN YARDS, ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16th.

When they will yard 200 head of Dairy and Store Cattle, including choice lines of Dairy Heifers, Dry Cows, Springers, Young Steers, and Heifers.

Also, 7 young Pedigreed Jersey Bulls.

Owners having Cattle for this Sale will oblige by sending early particulars to

A. McILLREE and CO., 56 Hunter-street.

Or R. IVORY, Blacktown.

HORSE AND JOCKEY SALEYARDS, HOMEBUSH. MILCH COWS. MILCH COWS.

E. P. PEARCE will sell, on account C. S. McIntosh and others, Newly-calved COWS, calves at foot, and STORE CATTLE.

WOOL SALES will be held TO-DAY, at the Sydney Wool Exchange, as under:—
Dalgety and Co., Ltd.—7300 Bales.
Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd.—3001 Bales.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, HOLDEN AT SYDNEY.

NO. OF PLAINT, 961 OF 1909.

NO. OF WARRANT, 102 OF 1909.

GEORGE WILLIAM BEAUMONT, PLAINTIFF, and JOHANNA McNAMARA, DEFENDANT (commonly known as Mrs. HAROLD).

ON TUESDAY, the twelfth day of October, 1909, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to a Warrant of Execution, issued in this action, unless the same be previously satisfied, the goods and chattels of the abovenamed Defendant, viz.:—
1 Bay Horse
1 Cab
Spring Cart
Carrier Pigeons
Old Timber and Iron
Dog.

Will be sold by public auction at defendant's residence, 20 Turner-street, Redfern.
Dated this 11th day of October, 1909.
A. IRVINE, Bailiff.

THIS DAY, at 72 King-street, Newtown, at 2.30, 4-Post, Double and Single Bedsteads, Dining Tables, Chairs, 7-piece Leather Din. Suite, Chiff. Safes, Crockery, Lamps, 2 doz. Enam. and Iron Saucepans, G'ware, Medical Books, Ice Chest, Tools, Sundries. FERGUSON and GREVILLE will sell, without RESERVE.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AT 2.30 P.M., on the Premises, Halloran-street, near Catherine-street, Leichhardt.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

MEDCALF and CO., Auctioneers. Positively without Reserve. Tel., 192 R.

THIS DAY, AT 2 o'clock, at 170 GEORGE-STREET WEST, near Shepherd-street.

MIDDLETON and CO. sell by auction, 500 Lots New and Second Hand Dresses, Blouses, Skirts, Jackets, Underclothing, Boots, Shoes, Men's and Children's Clothing, Curtains, Bedclothing, Remnants.

PEARY and Cook, in doubt either seems hard, but who can doubt "Pineapple" Bacon and Lard?

IMPORTANT TO PICTURE BUYERS, LOVERS OF FINE ARTS, CONNOISSEURS, AND COLLECTORS.

PAINTINGS,

IN OIL AND WATER COLOURS,

by EMINENT ARTISTS of the BRITISH AND CONTINENTAL SCHOOLS.

MR. ROBERT A. FORBES'

VALUABLE AND EXTENSIVE COLLECTION.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12,

AT 2.30 O'CLOCK AFTERNOON.

THE CATALOGUE EMBRACES ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHT PICTURES, including MANY RARE AND EXQUISITE

WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS

and A FEW OIL PAINTINGS.

CATALOGUES MAY BE HAD AT THE ROOMS.

ON VIEW THIS MORNING, PRIOR TO SALE, at THE ROOMS AND GALLERIES of

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

GREAT AUCTION SALE.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY,

13th OCTOBER, AT 11 A.M.

THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK of the

COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPH COMPANY,

AT THEIR WAREHOUSE, 255 CLARENCE-STREET, NEAR MARKET-STREET.

TALKING MACHINES,

DISC AND CYLINDER. THE GIGANTIC STOCK of PHONOGRAPHS AND GRAPHOPHONES.

THOUSANDS OF RECORDS.

An immense quantity of Phonograph Horns, Horn Cranes, Carrying Baskets, Reproducers, Recorders, Speaking and Hearing Tubes, Mainsprings, and Repair Parts.

DICTAPHONES AND ACCESSORIES. Etc., Etc., Etc.

THE SALE AFFORDS AN UNEQUALLED OPPORTUNITY to all those requiring HIGH-CLASS TALKING MACHINES.

THE MACHINES WILL BE OFFERED SINGLY. THE RECORDS IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AND PRIOR TO SALE TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY MORNING.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, and GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

IMPORTANT TO THE MEDICAL PROFESSION, SURGEONS, SCIENTISTS, AND OTHERS.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE, on

THURSDAY NEXT, 14th OCTOBER, 11 A.M.

Under Instructions from THE TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATES of

DR. PHILIP MUSKETT (Deceased),

LATE OF ELIZABETH-STREET, SYDNEY,

and

DR. HERBERT DU CANE (Deceased),

LATE OF MOREE.

SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS. VALUABLE MICROSCOPE.

COMPLETE MEDICAL LIBRARY.

PRIVATE LIBRARY OF GENERAL LITERATURE. STANDARD WORKS, Etc., Etc., Etc.

ON VIEW TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, FROM 10 A.M.

TO BE SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE ON THE ABOVENAMED DATE, AT THE ROOMS AND GALLERIES of

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE, FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET (NEAR KING-STREET).

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 A.M.,

GIBBS, SMITH, AND COMPANY WILL SELL, ON THE PREMISES,

30 TEMPLE-STREET, STANMORE (under instructions from Mrs. Jordan),

The WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS OF FIVE ROOMS, consisting of:—
2-PIECE BEDROOM SUITES.
COMB. CHESTS, WARDROBES, TOILETS.
SINGLE AND DOUBLE BEDS AND BEDDING.
BED LINEN, Etc.
DINING-ROOM TABLE, SIDEBOARD, OVERMANTEL.
AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, LINOS., Etc., Etc.
CUTLERY, GLASSWARE, PLATE.

Those who are in need of Household Furniture should attend this Sale.

TERMS, CASH. ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE.

GIBBS, SMITH, AND CO., AUCTIONEERS, 119 BATHURST-STREET, CITY. TEL., 20 CITY.

AUCTION SALE.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13th, AT 11 A.M.,

at THE COMMODIOUS ROOMS, 119 BATHURST-STREET.

GIBBS, SMITH, AND CO. WILL SELL THE FOLLOWING, REMOVED FROM VARIOUS PRIVATE RESIDENCES FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE:—
SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE, COST £80, and
SEVERAL OTHER VERY NICE BEDROOM SUITES, WITH ROSEWOOD AND WALNUT FINISH.
SOLID OAK EXTENSION DINING TABLE, 8 x 4.
SOLID OAK 6ft SIDEBOARD, COST £40.
5 x 4 Sideboard.
FOUR PIANOS BY THE WORLD-RENOWNED MAKERS, SCHWEETHEN, TRAUBMANN, and OTHERS.
SOLID BRASS DOUBLE BEDSTEAD.
COMBINATION CHESTS, WARDROBES, HALL STANDS.
WALNUT 6-PIECE DRAWING-ROOM SUITE.
AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, MIRRORS, BEDROOM CHAIRS.
LINOS., CARPETS, MATS, Etc.
PLATEGLASS, CUTLERY, Etc.
TERMS, CASH.

GIBBS, SMITH, AND CO., GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 119 BATHURST-STREET, SYDNEY. TEL., 20 CITY.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS IN A DECEASED ESTATE.

THIS DAY (TUESDAY), AT 11 A.M., at 47 PITT-STREET, REDFERN (near Park).

Sideboard, Couches, Dining Table and Cover, Bookcase, Octogan Tables, Whatnots, Pictures, B.M. Bedsteads (Double and Single), Linen, Wardrobes, Combinations, Duchesse Toilet Ware, Linoleums, Carpets, Hearthrugs, Drapings, Linen Press, Aust. and Cane Chairs, Enclosed Dresser, Glassware, Cutlery, Crockery.

MITCHELL AND CRANSTON, AUCTIONEERS.

ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), AT 2.30 P.M., at 17 YARALLA-STREET, NEWTOWN, THE WHOLE OF THE BEAUTIFUL AND ARTISTIC FURNISHINGS OF VILLA RESIDENCE.
ROSEWOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITE.
OAK DINING-ROOM SUITE.
WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.
The Furnishings only 12 months from Warehouse.

MITCHELL AND CRANSTON, Full particulars To-morrow's "Herald." ON VIEW TO-MORROW FROM 10 A.M.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

HUNTER'S HILL.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE, on

THURSDAY NEXT, 14th OCT., AT 11 A.M., under instructions from Mrs. LINSLEY, at her Residence, MONTRELL, HUNTER'S HILL.

SUPERIOR MODERN FURNITURE and GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.

NEW SPEEDWELL BICYCLE, VIOLIN.

FULL PARTICULARS in Later Advertisements.

HARRY LAWSON, AUCTIONEER. ONLY ADDRESS: 12 POST OFFICE-CHAMBERS, OPP. G.P.O., PITT-STREET. TEL., 1367.

CONTINUATION SALE.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m., at 265 Pitt-street.

C. R. BROWN will sell Bankrupt Stock of Guns, Jewellery, Suitings, Fancy Goods, Bicycles, etc.

SALVAGE. SALVAGE.

SECOND AND FINAL SALE.

THURSDAY, 14th OCTOBER, 1909,

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

At the scene of the late fire,

AT THE PREMISES OF THOMAS ANDERSON,

74 WILLIAM-STREET,

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE FIRE ASSESSORS.

THE SALVAGE BULK STOCK of

GENERAL GROCERIES AND OILMEN'S STORES,

comprising only the choicest and best-known brands.

SALMON, SARDINES, HERRINGS.
PICKLES, SAUCES, VINEGAR.
CANNED and BOTTLED FRUITS, JAMS.
CANNED and POTTED MEATS, MEAT and FISH PASTES.
FLOUR STARCH, CANDLES, BLUE.
CORNFLOUR, BAKING POWDER, EVAPORATED FRUITS.
CONDENSED MILK, COFFEE ESSENCE.
COLONIAL WINES, Etc., Etc., Etc.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY WILL SELL THE ABOVE WITHOUT RESERVE, At the Premises, 74 WILLIAM-STREET,

ON THURSDAY NEXT, AT 11 O'CLOCK.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

Second Great Open and Displayed Sale OF HIGH-CLASS ENGLISH ART FURNITURE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION at our Commodious Mart,

140 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, CITY,

on THURSDAY NEXT, OCT. 14th INST, by Order of THE MANAGER OF THE BANK INTERESTED.

This Shipment will include all the latest English and Continental Designs, amongst which may be mentioned:—

DINING AND BREAKFAST ROOM SUITES, in Selected Fumed Oak, each comprising 5ft Sideboard, Overmantel, Table, and Suite of 8 Chairs.

MASSIVE SOLID WALNUT SIDEBOARD OF NOBLE PROPORTIONS, SIZE 6ft.

Oak Dining Chairs, Extending Dining Tables, BUREAU BOOKCASES.

SHERATON FURNITURE of Genuine Design and Manufacture, in great Variety, comprising:—

WALL AND CHINA CABINETS, Folding Music Canterbury, Corner Cabinets, VALUABLE ADAM STYLE BOOKCASE.

Two Valuable

UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTES,

in figured Walnut Case, of exceptionally fine quality in tone and touch. "By the King Piano Coy., London."

HALL FURNITURE, in Solid Walnut and Selected Oak.

ELECTRO SILVER-PLATE, by the leading English Manufacturers, in great Variety.

BEDROOM APPOINTMENTS

include:—

MASSIVE BEDROOM SUITES, IN SOLID WALNUT, of various sizes, from 4ft 6 to 6ft 6, in ELABORATE DESIGNS, each Suite being fitted throughout with all modern conveniences and requirements.

ALL-BRASS BEDSTEADS OF ITALIAN DESIGN, BLACK AND BRASS BEDSTEADS, Brass Kerbs and Fender Sets, Etc., etc., etc.,

as set out and described in BOOK CATALOGUES which can be obtained from the Auctioneers, or will be posted on application.

ON VIEW ALL DAY TO-MORROW.

BARNARD AND CO. will sell by auction as above. POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE. Auctioneers' Telephone, 3778.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING, BOARDING-HOUSE KEEPERS, Etc.

THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 11 o'clock,

At the HAYMARKET AUCTION ROOMS, 772 GEORGE-STREET. Tram to Door.

The SPLENDID APPOINTMENTS of 3 Large Houses, including
2 Beautiful Upright Grand PIANOS, "Rancer" and "Mozart;" 2 Sweet-toned Cottage Pianos.
3 Drawing-room Suites, 7 pieces, equal to new.
Large Walnut and Oak Overmantel, Wall Mirrors.
Austrian and B.B. Dining Chairs.
Prs. Vases, Ornaments, Pictures, Pr. Large Pedestals.
Solid Walnut 5ft and other Sideboards, in first-class order.
Walnut Escritoire Bookcase, Oak D. Waggon, Oak Exten. Dining Tables.
Saddlebag and Leather Dining-room Suites, 9 pieces, Walnut frames.
Cabinet Singer S. Machine, almost new, all parts.
Jones S. Machine, in A1 order.
Large and Medium Bedroom Suites, Wing Toilets.
7-dr. Cedar Chests Drawers, Combinations.
Marble Washstands and Toilet Sets, complete.
15 First-class Brass-mtd. Bedsteads, with Wires, equal to new, Bedding.
Children's Cots and Perambulators, Gent.'s Bike.
China, E.P. Ware, Glass and Crockery Ware.
Blankets and Quilts, Curtains and Table Covers.
Enamelware, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils.
2-Roller Mangle, Fletcher Gas Stove.
Carpet Squares, Runners, Rooms Linoleum and Oilcloth.

E. HEBDEN BRODRIBB will sell, WITHOUT RESERVE. THIS DAY.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street,

The Unredeemed Pledges pawned with Mr. L. M. TRENN, of the Mont de Piete Loan Office, 104 Market-street, city; and also the Branch Loan Office, 224 Harris-street, Pyrmont.

At 11 o'clock.—Clothing, Boots, Blankets, etc.

At 3 o'clock.—Sundries of every description.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, October 20th, 1909, at 11 o'clock, the Unredeemed Pledges pawned with J. Brukarz, of the Mont de Piete Economical Loan Office, 19 Pitt-street, Circular Quay, on dates as under:—

1908.—December—4th, links and pin; 28th, s h lever 110278.

1909.—January—2nd, o f m watch, ring, and pin; 5th, w ring; 11th, g chain, fish carvers, 2 spoons, part of cameo earring, 2 rings; 16th, bangle, s o f watch 508384; 22nd, s h k waltham watch 9859657, 9c g chain and plated sov purse; 25th, r d ring, ring, and f pen; 28th, ring; 30th, g links. February—1st, guinea pendant; 12th, brooch, earrings, and ring; 13th, s h k waltham 6585080; 16th, lad. g o f watch 4929; 22nd, sov pendant; 27th, ring, g h k lever 6583, h h d ring, h h d op ring. March—1st, g chain, medal, and dress ring; 4th, 2 brooches and nug pin, brooch; 5th, w ring; 6th, cig holder and earrings; 11th, flower stand; 12th, ring; 23rd, 7 carp tools, coat and vest, sig ring; 24th, 2 dress rings; 25th, dress ring, s o f watch 19774 and s albert; 29th, suit, coat, battery and part of battery; 30th, 2 rings; 31st, w ring. April—1st, part of g chain; 3rd, trousers and vest, brooch; 5th, 9c g chain; 6th, spirit flask, suit; 7th, bicycle; 8th, ch bangle; 10th, s h k waltham 2581356; 14th, a cig case, 1 pick and col stud; 14th, w g chain; 17th, op glasses; 29th, coat and vest. May—3rd, portmanteau and cont, 2 singlets, pyj suit, p hat, and sundries; 5th, blankets and mincer; 10th, tab cloth and veedee massager; 12th, coat and vest; 15th, 12 dental forceps, f glasses; 21st, 17 tools, axe, 3 hammers, 2 bits, screw wrench, h beater, and a corking irons; 21st, 2 sheets, tab cloth, bodice, 4 chemises, 3 pr knickers, and skirt; 22nd, w clock; 24th, suit; 25th, 2 rugs, 2 p trousers, 2 coats, 1 p trousers and f vest, 2 coats and trousers; 29th, 3 remnants and shoes; 31st, 1 coat, trousers, and 1 vest. June—8th, carpet; 10th, violin in case; 12th, suit length; 14th, coat and vest; 15th, 6 knives, 2 t spoons, 6 des spoons, 4 t spoons, 6 tab forks, 6 des forks, 2 f knives and 2 f forks; 17th, quilt and w tab cloth; 18th, overcoat; 24th, suit; 26th, blanket and sundries. July—1st, suit, case, cont ev suit; 5th, suit in bag; 7th, suit, overcoat, and boots; 10th, trousers; 13th, macintosh, p knife, and cig case, 6 remnants of suitings, 4 sheets, tab cloth, and runner; 17th, 3 remnants, tray cloth, and 1 blouse.

Also, a quantity of Pledges on which 5s and under has been lent. All goods previously advertised and kept back from previous sales will be sold irrespective of persons.

J. BRUKARZ, Economical Loan Office, 19 Pitt-street, Circular Quay.

SUMMER HILL.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of the whole of the Stock of GROCERIES AND OILMEN'S STORES, IRONMONGERY, CROCKERY, AND BRUSHWARE, ETC.,

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF JUNOR BROS., LACKEY-STREET, SUMMER HILL, UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE MORTGAGEE, comprising

A Clean and Well-assorted Stock of Bulk and Open Goods of the Leading Manufacturers.

Also the Valuable WORKING PLANT, including NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, COST £78, LARGE COFFEE MILL, IN PERFECT ORDER. (Special attention of the trade is called to the above.)

BERKEL PATENT SLICER AND STAND (Only been in use 3 months, a fine machine.)

TWO GROCERS' CARTS.

COUNTER AND PLATFORM SCALES AND WEIGHTS, and Numerous Lot of Sundries.

Further details in later advertisements.

DEAN AND CO. (D. H. VALANTINE, AUCTIONEER), GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 56 YORK-STREET. TELEPHONE, 3673.

To Booklovers, Librarians, Booksellers, Dealers, and others.—THIS DAY, at 2.30,

AT THE AUCTION ART, 16 OXFORD-SQUARE.

The contents of a popular Suburban LENDING LIBRARY, comprising 1000 Books, the works of the most notable Authors. In lots to suit purchasers.

N. RUMEISEN, Licensed Auctioneer, has been instructed to sell as above, THIS DAY, without Reserve.

GORDON. GORDON. GORDON.

THE STRATHFIELD OF THE NORTH SHORE LINE.

A CHANCE TO SECURE A GRAND BUILDING SITE.

EVERY LOT WILL BE SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER AT RICHMOND PARK ESTATE.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,

NEXT SATURDAY, AT 3 P.M.

TERMS: £3 and £1 Deposit, balance £1 per month, 3 years at 5 per cent p.a.

SEND FOR LITHO. TITLE, TORRENS.

HUGH DUFF & CO., 283 GEORGE-ST.,

AND AT CHATSWOOD AND MOSMAN

(In conjunction with T. W. TAYLOR, 5 Moore-street, Sydney; and Park-avenue, Gordon.

ORDER OF SALE.

AT THE ROOMS, 133 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 13th OCTOBER, 1909, AT 11.30 O'CLOCK.

SHARES.—CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY.

ALL THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE'S RIGHT, TITLE, and INTEREST in and to Land, County of Camden, Parish of Colo. (Bankrupt Estate Joseph Thomas Burton Gibbs.)

SURRY HILLS.—Building Site, 36 feet Foveaux-street.

NEWTOWN.—Building Site, 51 feet 6 inches Watkin-street.

BELLEVUE HILL.—Charming Residence and Grounds, "Kyle," Victoria and Cranbrook roads.

SNAILS BAY.—"Birchgrove House" and Grounds, fronting Louisa-road.

HUNTER'S HILL.—Stone Residence, "Maruna," Ferdinand-street.

RANDWICK.—Brick Cottage, W.B. Cottage and Land, Oberon, Tiger, and Creer streets.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO SPECULATIVE BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, AND OTHERS.

DEMOLITION OF THAT TERRACE OF FIVE MODERN AND UP-TO-DATE HOUSES SITUATE IN THOMAS-STREET, JUST OFF ULTIMO-ROAD, ON THE SITE OF THE NEW FISH MARKETS.

GIGANTIC UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-DAY, TUESDAY, AT 11 A.M., ON THE ABOVE SITE, comprising—
50,000 MACHINE BRICKS, an O.K. Lot
150ft CAST BALCONY RAILING, modern design
300ft of 8in and 10in CAST FRIEZE and BRACKETS
750 SHEETS of 24-GAUGE GALVANISED IRON, Gospel Oak and Orb brand, 6 to 10 feet.
10,000ft SELECTED H'WOOD JOISTS, 6 x 3, 5 x 2½
10,000ft RAFTERS and Ceiling Joists, 8 x 2, 4 x 3, 4 x 2½
3000ft 3 x 2, 3 x 1 H'WOOD and OREGON BATTENS
200ft 9 x 3 WROUGHT VERANDAH PLATES
6000ft First Quality KAURI 6 x 1 FLOORING
1500ft PARTITION and LINING BOARDS, equal to new
5 CEDAR STAIRCASES, CUT STRING, with NEWELS and BALUSTERS complete
20 REGISTER GRATES, with Mantels complete
5 HANDSOME FRONT DOORS, with Frames complete
8 PAIRS MODERN FRENCH CASEMENTS
40 BOX FRAMES, with SASHES, in sizes
30 PANEL DOORS, with JAMBS and ARCHITRAVES
ARCHITRAVES, SKIRTINGS, MOULDINGS, etc.
5000 SAWN PLASTERERS' LATHS, a Grand Lot,
AND HOSTS OF SUNDRIES TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH have received instructions from Mr. J. COULING, DEMOLITION CONTRACTOR, to sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.

The Auctioneers would direct the attention of Speculative Builders and others to this Important Sale. The materials are practically new, and can now be inspected.

A. BARNETT AND PUGH WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-DAY, TUESDAY, at quarter to 11 o'clock, Under Instructions from Mr. G. WORKMAN, on the Site, THOMAS-STREET, just off ULTIMO-ROAD, COMPOUND STEEL OR IRON GIRDERS,
1 27ft x 19 x 19.
1 21ft x 19 x 19.
1 27ft x 36 x 6½.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

Note the Time, QUARTER TO 11 O'CLOCK TO-DAY, TUESDAY, and adjoining the Site of SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

THIS DAY WEEK, OCT. 19.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS,

being the fine lot contained in Hotel and 10 Dwellings situated near NEW MARKETS, in

HARBOUR-ST OFF HAY-ST.

BY UNRESERVED PUBLIC AUCTION, TUESDAY, OCT. 19th, AT 11 A.M. A fine lot, comprising:—
50,000 BEST QUALITY MACHINE BRICKS.
80,000 SANDSTOCK BRICKS.
H.WOOD JOISTS, RAFTERS, PLATES, BATTENS, KAURI FLOORING T. & G. PARTITION BOARDS.
40 PANEL DOORS AND JAMBS, complete.
CEDAR H. PL. GLASS SWING DOORS, with patent hinges, handles, etc., complete. A first-class lot.
500 Sheets of best quality GAL. CORR. IRON.
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3. STANMORE.—Residence, known as Harlech, Bright-street. Executors' Sale.
4. ROOKWOOD.—Building Allotments, Dellwood Estate. Executors' Sale.
5. ROCKDALE.—Corner Block, Bay-street and Gipps-street. Executors' Sale.
6. LEICHHARDT.—Stone House, No. 30 Emma-street.
7. MARRICKVILLE.—Vacant Land, Sydenham-road, 40ft frontage.
8. ASHFIELD.—Produce Store and Stock, George's River-road.
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10. LEICHHARDT.—Two brick Cottages, 8s and 10 Day-street.
11. GEORGE'S RIVER.—Water Frontage Property, Bald Face Point.
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13. BAULKHAM HILLS.—Orchard Property, Homestead, etc.
14. ASHFIELD.—Cottage Residence, 6 Palace-street.
15. ASHFIELD.—Building Allotments, Holden-street.
16. ASHFIELD.—Iona, Milton-street, Cottage Residence.
17. CROYDON.—Cottage Residence, Croydon-avenue.
18. FOREST LODGE.—Pair semi-detached Houses, Bridge-road.
19. GLEBE.—Glenyarrah, Arundel-street.
20. GLEBE.—Shop and Dwelling, St. John's-road.
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CHAPTER X.
SUNDAY MORNING.

Never had a Sunday seemed to Gilbert Watson less like a day of rest than the one which followed. Disturbance began with the early morning. After three sleepless nights in succession, he was not feeling at his best when the customary hour came for rising. He was late out of bed; things went wrong with his dressing; he had just cut himself with his razor, when there came a tapping at his bedroom door.

"Who's there?"

"Can I speak to you, sir, for one moment—at once?"

The voice was the voice of Cox, the butler. Mr. Watson said something to himself which was not a blessing. With a towel he made a dab at the blood on his cheek.

"I've just managed to gash myself with my razor, and I'm bleeding like a pig; but if you'll wait a second I'll come."

Presently he did go, standing at the open door with the towel pressed to his cheek. Cox's countenance wore an air of unwonted gravity. Instinct warned Mr. Watson that he was about to be told something which he would rather not have heard.

"I'm sorry to trouble you, sir—very sorry indeed; but I hardly know what to do."

"What's up?"

"They've been dragging the fish-pond."

Something in Cox's tone caused a premonitory shiver to run down to Mr. Watson's toes.

"I thought Mr. Blake said they were not to?"

"Quite so, sir; I understand that he did. That's one reason why I don't know what to do—why I've come to you."

"What—what have they found. Not——"

"No, sir; not Mrs. Blake. They found the body of a man."

"A man? What man?"

"Well, sir, that's it."

"What's it? What's the matter with you, man? What are you driving at? Why can't you speak plainly?"

"Frankly, Mr. Watson, I don't quite like to; it seems to me to be a delicate position."

"You'd better come inside." Cox entered; the door was closed; the two men eyed each other. Watson more and more conscious that there was something in the other's manner which he disliked. "Now, Cox, what is it? Who is this man you say they've found?"

"It's a man, Mr. Watson, with whom it appears that Mr. Blake had a violent argument yesterday morning, and whom Isaac Briggs said he heard fall into the pond, at the end of the argument."

"And who may Isaac Briggs be?"

"He's one of the men on the estate. It seems that he and Joe Sadler, and some other men, were going up with a cart to drag the lake, according to Mr. Blake's instructions, when they met you, and you sent them back."

"I did—that's right. I told them they were not to interrupt Mr. Blake, as he was having some private conversation with a gentleman."

"They heard him having it. It didn't seem to them to be very private, judging from the tone in which it was carried on. They say that after they had gone quite a distance they could still hear some of the language that was being used by Mr. Blake. They waited with the cart round by the farm stables. About half an hour afterwards Mr. Blake passed, and saw them there. He called out to them that they could take the horse out of the cart, and were not to drag the lake—he had changed his mind. They thought at the time that he looked very strange—according to them, as if he'd been having a fight."

Mr. Watson recalled the strangeness of Mr. Blake's appearance and manner as he had gone past him, and entered the house, and the vigorous language which he had applied to Mr. Halsey.

"Before then, Isaac Briggs had gone back into the forest to attend to some job about clearing some wood. When he saw Sadler again he asked him if he'd seen anything of the gentleman with whom Mr. Blake had been having a discussion. Sadler said he hadn't; he hadn't come down the path—he must have come up. Briggs replied that he had not done that; he had been working quite close to the path, and must have seen him. Then he told Sadler that he believed Mr. Blake had thrown him into the pond."

"Good gracious! What an accusation for the fellow to make!"

"Briggs is an old man—over sixty. I understand he's worked on the estate all his life, as his father did before him. From what I've seen of him, and heard, I should say he was by way of being a character. He says that when he went up the path Mr. Blake and the gentleman were having a violent quarrel. He could hear them still at it when he was working above; that there was a pause, that they they began again, and that then there was a cry and a splash. He had half a mind to come down and see what had happened, but, considering that it was no business of his, he didn't. When Sadler told him that Mr. Blake had passed, but that he had seen nothing of the gentleman, he jumped to his own conclusion. He and Sadler live together in a cottage in the lane at the top of the estate. When they were going home together yesterday evening they stopped by the lake, and they saw, floating on the water, a billycock hat. The other men had been laughing at old Briggs because of his suspicion; the sight of the hat made him triumphant—he fetched some of the other men up to look at it. This morning some of them got up early, and on their own account they dragged the pond, and found the body of the man with whom old Briggs declares he saw Mr. Blake arguing."

"Old Briggs is an idiot."

"Possibly, sir; but that doesn't make it any the less awkward." There was a significance in Cox's glance, at which Mr. Watson winced. "I thought it might be better, sir, to tell you first; then you might use your discretion about telling Mr. Blake, especially as he's been a good deal upset already."

"Where is the man?"

"The body, sir, is in one of the coachhouses. The whole place is in a stir; the talk is about nothing else. You see, sir, the police will have to be communicated with; they'll make inquiries of the men, and then—you understand?"

Mr. Watson did understand—too well. He sent Cox away, telling him that he would come down presently, and that nothing was to be done till then. He gave him a parting injunction.

"Don't let those fellows gossip if you can help it. They will do more mischief than they've a notion of if someone doesn't stop them. You warn them that the consequences will be serious for themselves if they don't look out."

Gilbert Watson, left alone, was disposed to curse his evil fortune; never, in his most pessimistic moments, had he supposed that things could turn out so badly as they seemed to be doing. If he had only gone to Kamschatka instead of coming to The Beeches! What a very short distance a man could see in front of him! As he hurried through the remainder of his toilet he tried to think what was best to be done. Cox's story had an ugly ring; he had said to himself when yesterday he had seen Blake entering the house that he just looked as if he had been throwing Halsey into the pond. If that was what he had done! That would be a pretty kettle of fish—with the tragedy of Mrs. Blake on top of it.

Cox had thought it better to tell him first, and then leave it to his discretion to tell the tale to Blake. He was an artful dodger, Cox was. He wished to goodness he had told Blake first, and left it to his discretion to pass the story on.

He descended in what was very far from being a good temper, to find Cox waiting for him in the hall. In a sense, the fellow seemed to take him into charge.

"This way, sir."

The butler led the way to the hall door, plainly taking it for granted that he would follow; and he did follow, though he would have liked to have shaken Cox for his air of conviction. Outside the coachhouse door half a dozen men were loitering.

"I thought I told you not to allow this kind of thing? Clear these fellows off."

"I don't see how that can be done, sir, without making a bad impression. These men are likely to be witnesses. There's no reason why you should wish to shut their mouths if there's nothing to conceal. Sending them off the premises, and forbidding them to talk, won't prevent the truth from getting about."

Mr. Watson saw the justice of this so clearly that he had no answer to make. One of the men, who had evidently something to do with the stables, threw open the coachhouse door. Watson entered. Something was lying on the cement floor, under a sheet. The sheet was removed. There was the man who had come to him yesterday from the other side of the hedge, and who had told him that his name was Edgar Halsey. Little rivulets of water were trickling from his clothing, on which here and there were weeds. One of the men, a sturdy fellow, with clear, sallow skin and black hair, volunteered a statement.

"We found him close by the bank, in a bed of reeds. He must have gone straight down into the reeds, and somehow stuck there; the reeds are very thick, and sort of cling. We had trouble in getting him up; he was stuck quite fast."

Another man—an old man—put in his word.

"It was I who found him first. I called out, 'There's something!' And there was—there was him."

"What's your name?" The question was Mr. Watson's.

"I'm Isaac Briggs, I am; I knew we should find him about there. I could tell yesterday, from the sound of the splash, that that was about the place."

"And what's your name?" This was to the black-haired man.

"Joe Sadler, sir. I was with Isaac when we saw the hat. I'd been laughing at him before, but that set me thinking."

"Mr. Blake has been a good master to you men, hasn't he?"

There came a chorus of replies.

"He has, sir." "No mistake about that." "Never a better one." "If only all of them was like him!"

"Very well. Then let me give you a word of advice and warning—keep your tongues between your teeth, and don't jump to rash conclusions. I'm going up to speak to Mr. Blake now. I've no doubt that he will come straight down to you, if you'll wait here, and then you'll find that he will have a word to say."

He left the men grouped about the stable door. Cox went back with him towards the house. He said, as they were going:—

"I hadn't a chance to warn you, sir, but I don't think Mr. Blake will come down just yet."

Again, to Mr. Watson's ears, there was an unpleasant significance in the butler's tone.

"Now, Cox, what are you driving at? I'm beginning to have a sort of feeling that you've a bird of your own."

"I'm sorry for that, sir. I was merely about to remark that under the circumstances I thought it might be better to call Mr. Blake myself. He wasn't in his bedroom, sir."

"I was with him till a pretty late hour this morning, and then I saw him to his bedroom myself."

"Indeed, sir. Did you see him into bed?"

"No; but I certainly understood from him that he was going to bed straight away."

"I don't fancy he did, sir. There are no signs of his bed having been slept in."

"Now, what the devil are you driving at? Speak out. What's at the back of your head."

The gentleman's tone was irascible, the servant's was courtesy itself. Cox spoke with the emotionless calm of the well-bred servant.

"I should have told you, sir, before you spoke to the men, if I had anticipated what you were about to say, that Mr. Blake is not in his room, that he does not appear to have occupied his bed last night, and that, so far as I have been able to ascertain, he is not at present about the house. I meant nothing more."

(To be continued.)

FLOWER CARNIVAL FOR SYDNEY.

A DISTINCTIVE DAY WANTED.

Melbourne has its Henley-on-Yarra, Adelaide has its wattle day, but Sydney has no distinctive day, no day which it can celebrate as its own. Therefore it is surprising that nobody has ever thought of making use of our natural wealth of wild flowers, as well as our plethora of cultivated blooms, and instituting a day in each year in which the people at large may form some idea of our resources in that direction. In the bush around the city are to be found forms of floral growth which cannot be approached anywhere in Australia. Perth comes nearest, but the varied forms of wild flowers grow not close to the city as much as away in the country. Sydney stands alone in Australia for her natural blooms within walking distance, and if anything of a public nature can be inaugurated which will perhaps create, or at all events foster a taste for flower gardening, and what is of more importance, a desire that those indigenous blooms which we have shall be conserved, and as far as cultivation will do it, improved, then good will be done.

A meeting was held yesterday afternoon in the Australia Hotel with a view of inaugurating a society which shall take up this work. Mr. F. E. Winchcombe, M.L.C., was voted to the chair, and briefly outlined what he thought should be done. Mr. Vesey R. Gosche amplified his remarks to some extent, and Mr. A. B. Templeman supplied some further details, which pieced together make up a fairly complete scheme. It now remains for the public to provide the sinews of war. Briefly, the idea is that as Sydney can boast of her floral wealth a day should be set apart in each year which shall be flower carnival day. The carnival will probably take the form of a procession through the principal streets of flower-decked cars—motor cars, carriages, hired vehicles, privately-owned vehicles, and all other description of means of locomotion, which lend themselves to such a display. After the procession it is proposed that the vehicles shall proceed to the Domain, or the Agricultural Society's Ground, or other appointed rendezvous, where prizes shall be given for the best decked car, the most original design, the best assortment of flowers, and so on, and that any surplus of funds be given to the charities. It might be on a Saturday afternoon, just as the Henley-on-Yarra celebration is. There the people vie with each other in bringing out the best-decked boats, the most original designs; indeed, how to beat make the ugliest mud scow beautiful. The side shows—the afternoon teas, the refreshment stalls, the hundred and one incidentals—go to make up the real show; while the boat races, which make up the regatta, keep up the interest of the sculling and rowing fraternity. Melbourne people are, at any rate, very proud of their day; and Sydney only wants one successful flower carnival day to make her citizens just as proud. It was pointed out at the meeting that in European cities there is an annual flower carnival; in France, in Italy, throughout the Riviera, the celebration taking an almost national spirit, and most of us have read at one time or another of the flower pelting that goes on at some of these fetes. At any rate they have become established there, and there should not be any great difficulty in getting them acclimatised here.

The meeting took up the idea heartily, and the first resolution, proposed by Mr. V. R. Gosche,—"That a society be formed for the purpose of inaugurating and holding an annual flower carnival in Sydney, and that such society be named the Flower Carnival Society of New South Wales," was seconded by Mrs. Alfred Lee, and carried with enthusiasm. A second resolution, moved by Mr. A. B. Templeman, and seconded by Mr. W. G. Layton, constituting all present a general committee, giving power to add to their number, with a view of giving effect to the first resolution, was also carried. Mr. F. E. Winchcombe, M.L.C., was chosen as president; Sir Francis Suttor, Mr. J. G. Farleigh, M.L.C., and Mr. Samuel Hordern were appointed vice-presidents; Messrs. J. Russell French and T. A. Dibbs hon. treasurers; and it was agreed that there should be an executive committee of 48—24 ladies and 24 gentlemen—to carry out the details of organisation. The lady members of the executive appointed by the meeting were Lady Carruthers, Lady Harris, Lady M'Millan, Lady Gould, Mesdames Alfred Lee, J. J. Smith, Jas. Aston, A. W. Meeks, Mayman, Hugh Dixson, Francis, J. C. Williamson, Gordon Wesche, Ashburton Thompson, Thos. Hughes, Rabett, Madame Segur, and Misses Glasheen and Margaret Harris, while the gentlemen chosen were Messrs. A. B. Templeman, W. Hibble, F. W. Stoddart, D. Middleton, J. G. Lockley, H. Skinner, F. J. Sargood, H. M. Somer, H. H. B. Bradley, T. Raine, L. R. Mitchell, R. Sandeman Collum, W. J. Donnelly, G. F. Todman, V. H. Green, and Warden. The remaining members will be appointed at a future meeting. Messrs. W. G. Layton and Vesey R. Gosche were appointed hon. secretaries. It was decided to ask the Governor-General and Lady Dudley, the State Governor and Lady Chelmsford, and the Lord Mayor of Sydney and Mrs. Allen Taylor to become patrons.

MR. McKYE AND THE BAKERS' UNION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Referring to Mr. McKye's statement in your issue of October 4, all I have to say in reply thereto, is that his Honor Mr. Justice Heydon thought that Mr. McKye was flouting the award, and fined him accordingly. His complaint of having misread a clean, typewritten letter, and that his solicitor also did the same is too thin. His barrister, Mr. Broomfield, did not misread it. Now, without any desire to give counsel a cheap advertisement, if there is an astute gentleman at the bar, it is Mr. Broomfield, who could not see his way clear to put Mr. McKye in the box even in mitigation of the offence.

So while his explanations may be satisfactory to himself they were not sufficient even for his own barrister, and as a rule they are not diffident in making the best of a case entrusted to them no matter what the circumstances. If Mr. McKye, as he states he is, wants to work in harmony why has he taken proceedings against an officer of the union for entering upon his premises to view the time-sheets? And why was his manager fined for assaulting the Government inspector who visited his premises? His allegation about men loafing, I treat that with the contempt it deserves, his output for the number of men employed is answer thereto.

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EDUCATION.

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The council of the P.S.T. Association has decided upon December 20 and 21 as the dates for the 15th annual conference. The possibility of obtaining any railway concessions for delegates is prevented by reason of the date falling within a week of Christmas. Broken Hill representatives applied to the Teachers' Council at its last meeting for assistance in obtaining travelling concessions, but the council was unable to render any. The Broken Hill teachers have a further request which has gone on to the Department of Public Instruction, viz., that a travelling allowance of £10 per annum be granted to all teachers in the Broken Hill inspector's district. In support of this application it is pointed out that the travelling expenses for Broken Hill are double the expenses of any other part of the State, and that the £12 extra living allowance already granted does not compensate for the extra cost of living in the district.

The council arranged for the issue of nomination papers for delegates from the metropolitan district to the December conference; also the distributing of nomination papers throughout all country branches for members of the council for 1910. The date of nomination in both cases is fixed for October 31. The business of the council for the remainder of the present year will be heavy, owing chiefly to the approaching conference and the new system of electing delegates and councillors.

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

As the present session of Parliament is advancing towards its close and nothing has appeared of the proposed amending bill dealing especially with the compulsory clauses of the Education Act, some inquiry is arising as to whether the bill is to be introduced this session. Mention of the matter was made at last meeting of the Teachers' Council, and the secretary of the council was requested to communicate with the Minister for Public Instruction on the subject.

RURAL CENTRAL SCHOOLS.

In his recently published report upon secondary education, Mr. P. Board, M.A., Under-Secretary for Education, deals considerably with rural schools and their consolidation. The following are given as the figures representing the rural schools of this State:—

330 schools, with an average attendance of less than 10
353 schools, with an average attendance 10 to 13.
341 schools, with an average attendance 13 to 16.
348 schools, with an average attendance 16 to 20.
419 schools, with an average attendance 20 to 30.
350 schools, with an average attendance 30 to 50.

Taking the aggregate of all schools with less than 50 pupils in average attendance, there are 2136 of them, with 40,680 pupils, costing £8 2s 6d per annum per pupil. By comparison the city child is educated at a much lower rate, the cost in the city and suburbs of Sydney being £4 13s per head.

The report goes on to say:—"If the country school is to get fair educational treatment it must have a class of teachers who have had a fair education and a reasonable degree of training; but the very qualifications that enable them to do satisfactory work for the children inside the school, at the same time make them dissatisfied with the conditions they have sometimes to face outside the school. Another handicap upon the country school is found in the distance which children have frequently to walk to school. But the most important drawback from which the country school suffers is the lack of higher instruction beyond the elementary grades.

"What may be done to increase the educational facilities of the country children, so that more advanced instruction may be made to fit the requirements of the pupil, who is to make his living largely by rural production? In America what is known as the consolidated school has been tried. Consolidation of schools has already been tried to some extent in New South Wales. There are at present 48 schools to which children are being conveyed by vehicle from smaller centres, at which small schools would otherwise have to be established. Here, as in America, local opposition to the movement has been met. The advantages gained have, however, removed the opposition in most cases.

"The schools organised by Dr. Robertson under the Macdonald Fund in Canada provide as part of the school work courses in manual training, school gardening, and domestic science. It will be at once seen that a country school providing these courses meets some of the special circumstances of the country boy and girl. The parents feel that their children are receiving in it a type of instruction that has a distinct value in rural life. New South Wales has at present no such consolidated school. The rural residents feel themselves handicapped by their remoteness from centres where these advantages are made available, and the country districts, and through them the State, are losing the value of the increased productiveness of citizens who are turned out of school equipped with the power to handle tools effectively, with intelligence trained with direct reference to the problems of the soil, and, in the case of girls, with a domestic training that plays an important part in making rural life attractive. To carry effective instruction of this kind into every one of the 2000 small schools of New South Wales is evidently impracticable. But a grouping of small schools by a system of consolidation would go far towards making agricultural instruction, for instance, in agricultural districts."

The report goes on to suggest additional improvements in rural schools, possible by consolidation, by the appointment of visiting teachers in agriculture, by the rearrangement of the scholarship system to provide district scholarships for district schools, and by the increased use of text books for the elder pupils of small schools.

COUNTRY TEACHERS.

In his report on rural schools, Mr. Board says:—"The discussion so far has had reference to what the State Department might do for the small country school. But the very circumstances of these schools impose on the residents concerned at least one obligation that lies outside the scope of the department, an obligation which presents no difficulty in the town areas. This is concerned with the accommodation of the teachers. Much of the difficulty that exists in the supply of teachers for the small country schools is found in the absence of suitable board and lodging. A reasonable rate of payment for this accommodation is always forthcoming, and a more ready response on the part of residents to provide it would frequently assist materially in the staffing of the schools."

NOTES.

The vacancy at Burwood Superior Public School, which has attracted much attention among teachers, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. W. H. Teale, who for many years has been principal teacher of Birchgrove S.P.S., Balmain.

The annual foundation day banquet of the Sydney High School Old Boys' Union was held on Saturday evening at Sargent's rooms, Market-street. About 70 sat down to dinner, which was presided over by Mr. C. A. Fairland (president). The toast of the "High School" was proposed by the president, advantage being taken to welcome Mr. Waterhouse, head master, who recently returned from a European tour. Mr. Waterhouse replied to the toast, and recounted some of his experiences abroad. Mr. Miles, one of the masters, gave the toast of the "Old Boys' Union," which was responded to by Mr. A. L. Campbell. Mr. Campbell proposed the health of Mr. F. W. Robinson, who leaves for Europe by virtue of the Woolley Travelling Scholarship won by him. Scholars from the High School have secured five out of the last six of these scholarships.

The officers of the Department of Public Instruction have been engaged in organising the South Sydney Public schools' demonstration, which is to take place on Victoria Park Racecourse on October 21, in aid of the South Sydney Hospital. Approximately 10,000 children will be present to welcome his Excellency Lord Chelmsford, and will take part in the formation of the motto:—"Welcome to South Sydney."

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LAW REPORT.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before the Chief Judge in Equity.)

SCHWARTZ v SCHMELLITSCHECK.

Mr. Gordon, K.C., Mr. Langer Owen, K.C., and Mr. Rich, instructed by Messrs. S. J. Bull and Sons, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Knox, K.C., and Mr. R. K. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Perkins, Stevenson, and Co., for the defendant.

This was a suit brought by Paul Schwartz to restrain Felix Schmellitscheck from carrying on business in Sydney in a similar business to that carried on by the Foreign Agency, of which the defendant was a former partner.

Defendant claimed that he had the right to carry on such business under the deed of dissolution, which plaintiff denied.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

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A report of the judgment in this matter appears elsewhere.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

AN UNDERTAKER'S WILL.
ANOTHER DOCUMENT PROPOUNDED.
Re Thomas Dixon.

Mr. R. L. Innes and Mr. Curlewis, instructed by Mr. T. O. O'Brien, appeared for Thomas Ormond O'Brien, an executor of Thomas Dixon, late of 5 Sarah-street, Paddington, undertaker, deceased, and moved to make absolute a rule nisi for an order granting probate of the will of June 2, 1908, and that Thomas Cunningham and Henry Rudolph Dixon, the other executors named in the will, be allowed to come in and prove the said will. The rule nisi also asked that H. R. Dixon should pay the costs of the application. Mr. Flannery, instructed by Mr. P. J. O'Donnell, appeared for Henry Rudolph Dixon, a grandson of the deceased, who had lodged a caveat in opposition to the motion. The document now propounded as the will of deceased left the property to the immediate members of testator's family, including his brother and sister, and also the caveator, his brother, Mrs. Rowlings, and another lady. Caveator in his affidavit said that on June 2, 1908, the testator was not of sound and disposing mind, and that the document now submitted for probate did not carry out the real intention of the testator as to the disposal of his property, as shown by previous wills and his statements subsequent to June 2.

His Honor: Do you say, Mr. Innes, that I can deal with the matter on the present application?

Mr. Innes: Yes. The caveator must make a prima-facie case on evidence, and consequently it is essential that the evidence should be before the Court. The affidavits submitted by the caveator he objected to on the ground that they did not present an approach to a prima facie case. It was a question for serious consideration whether, after the caveator had had four or five months to collect evidence, the Court would put the parties to the heavy expense of another suit. He objected to the admission of the affidavit of Dr. Maher.

His Honor: Mr. Justice Manning in two cases reported in 8 Weekly Notes decided the question as to how these matters should be proceeded with. The section of the Act provided that if a caveator appeared the matter was to proceed as a contested one, either before the Probate Judge or before the Judge and a jury on affidavit or oral evidence. The caveator in the present case appears, and therefore the matter must be proceeded with as a contested suit, unless, as Mr. Justice Manning pointed out, I am of opinion that the caveat is merely lodged vexatiously.

Mr. Innes said that was so, but the question was whether the Court would subject the parties to the expense of a suit unless there was a prospect of the matter being seriously contested.

His Honor said the Court could not dispose of the matter summarily if the caveat was lodged bona-fide, and not vexatiously, and he was not prepared to say that the caveator here had acted vexatiously in raising the question of the testamentary capacity of the testator on June 2, 1908. The will propounded must therefore be proved in solemn form. He thought, however, it was a pity that the parties could not settle the matter. One phase of the question was fought out before in another suit at great length, and the parties might see their way to settle this matter.

Mr. Innes: It is quite possible that if suggestions were made the executor would consider them, but he could not say more than that.

His Honor: If you go on fighting, nothing will be left in the estate.

Order made that the matter proceed as a contested suit on oral evidence before the Court. The applicant to be plaintiff, and costs to be costs in the cause.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before the Registrar.)

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Mark Solomon. Adjourned till November 8.

Re William Longmore. Adjourned generally, with leave to re-enter.

Re James Arthur Pegg. Order of discharge granted.

Re Patrick James Gleeson. Adjourned till November 8.

Re Francis Boughton Kyngdon. Order of discharge granted.

EXAMINATION UNDER SECTION 30.

Re Kenneth Charles M'Kenzie. Two witnesses were examined, and the examination was closed.

Re Cornelius and Michael John Joseph Leary. Two witnesses were examined, and the examination was adjourned generally.

CREDITOR'S PETITION.

Emily Jones versus Emma Carter. This matter was, by consent, adjourned till the 18th instant.

THE RIGHT OF AUDIENCE.

The following decision was recorded by the Registrar in reference to the managing clerks of solicitors appearing before him:—"Referring to my announcement of September 23, that I should in future refuse to hear managing clerks, who are solicitors appearing, for their employers, I desire to say that his Honor, the Judge in Bankruptcy, after further considering the matter, is of opinion that section 15 of the Legal Practitioners Act was passed to extend and not to lessen the existing privileges of solicitors, and that the practice then obtaining of allowing managing clerks to appear before the Registrar in Bankruptcy, should be continued."

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before Judge Heydon.)

CEMENT WORKERS' BOARD.

Mr. Kelynack, instructed by Messrs. Minter, Simpson, and Co., appeared on behalf of the Portland Cement Company, Ltd.; Mr. Johnston, secretary of the United Labourers' Industrial Union, Portland, appeared on behalf of the company's employees. The Court was asked to approve the nomination of members and chairman of the Wages Board recently granted. Dr. August Scheidel, of Martin-place, Sydney, and Mr. John Saville, manager of the Portland Cement Works, were nominated as representatives of the company; Messrs. James William Monaghan, of Portland, general hand, and James M'Feggan, of Portland, engineer, were nominated as representatives of the employees. These nominations were approved.

Judge Heydon asked if the parties had agreed upon a chairman.

Mr. Kelynack replied that if his Honor could see his way to act both sides would be very glad.

His Honor: I should be glad to do so, but it would be necessary for the board to sit at Portland.

Mr. Kelynack: We would be glad to meet your Honor's wishes in every way. The evidence ought not to take long, and if you could not see your way clear to go to Portland, the company would be prepared to defray the expenses of necessary witnesses to attend sittings in Sydney.

His Honor: In these cases an enormous amount of evidence is usually tendered. Parties seek to prove their case down to the very quick, and think that unless they get in every shred of evidence their case is likely to suffer. I will look over the list, and if I can see my way clear to doing so, I will act as chairman.

Mr. Johnston, in reply to a question from the Bench, said there were about 15 different callings in respect of which evidence would be tendered. He added that if the board sat at Portland, and met morning, afternoon, and night, the evidence might not take more than a week.

His Honor: But the evidence must be considered as well as taken, and there must be time to consider it.

It was arranged that the claims of the employees should be formulated within a week, and his Honor would then decide whether he could act as chairman. If unable to act, he would nominate a chairman.

RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS BOARD.

Mr. Catts appeared for the Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Employees' Association, and Mr. Mackenzie for the Traffic Association. Mr. Mackenzie claimed the right to nominate one of the two employees' representatives on the Railways and Tramways (Traffic Wages Staff) Board.

Mr. Catts objected. He pointed out that the board was originally granted to the Amalgamated Association, which was entitled to see that all interests were efficiently represented and protected. The association wished Mr. Stephenson to be appointed to the board. To this Mr. Mackenzie objected, on the ground that Mr. Stephenson was hostile to the Traffic Association.

His Honor said he thought it would be fair to have a representative from each side on the board. He directed that the matter stand over for a week, to give the parties an opportunity of agreeing upon a representative. Meantime, he would see the chairman of the board, and when the matter came again before him, if the parties were not agreed, he would from the names submitted to him select a representative.

APPEAL FROM THE INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR.

An appeal was made by Denis Macguire against a decision given by the Industrial Registrar in respect of appellant's expulsion from the Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Service Association. Mr. Croft appeared on behalf of the respondent association. Appellant contended that if the Registrar's decision was wrong or against the weight of evidence, he had the right of appeal to the Industrial Court.

His Honor directed that the matter stand over for further consideration.

PENALTY SUMMONSES.

THE LAUNDRY AWARD IN RELIGIOUS INSTITUTIONS.

Dickson v Taylor.

On the application of Mr. Kelynack, in which Mr. Wegg-Horne concurred, the case of Dickson v W. G. Taylor, for breach of the laundry award, was struck out.

MORRISH v GRIFFITHS.

On the application of Mr. Croft, the penalty summons, J. J. Morrish v Mary Ann Griffiths, and the summons for money, due H. Cundell v Mary Ann Griffiths, were adjourned till October 25.

DICKSON v SISTERS OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN.

Mr. Wegg-Horne appeared on behalf of A. E. Dickson, in support of a penalty summons against C. M'Laughlin and others, trustees of the religious women, known as the Sisters of the Good Samaritan, "for not paying the wages and observing the conditions of employment laid down in the award in the laundry trade." Mr. Watt, instructed by Messrs. Murphy and Maloney, appeared for the defendants.

Mr. Watt said he wished to take the point that the information was bad, first, because of duplicity inasmuch as it alleged more than one offence, and next, because of indefiniteness, inasmuch as it failed to state any specific offence. He also objected to the jurisdiction of the board, and of the award so far as it affected to deal with the defendant institution.

Mr. Wegg Horne said the proceedings were based upon the report of an inspector.

His Honor: If you bring an action against persons under an award, it must be for disobedience of the award.

Mr. Wegg Horne: But we cannot get any employee to say that the full wage has not been paid.

His Honor: Why do you not say that, being employers under the award, they have not kept proper time or pay sheets? The information simply reads "that you, the trustees, have not paid the wages and have not observed the conditions of employment provided under the said award." Nothing could be more general than that.

Mr. Wegg Horne: "For not paying the wages." Surely that is sufficiently definite?

His Honor: But to whom?

Mr. Wegg Horne: To their employees.

His Honor: What are their names?

Mr. Wegg Horne: We cannot get them.

His Honor: How, then, can you prove your case?

Mr. Wegg Horne: I can only prove it by the inspector's report. I can only say that on application they could show no time sheet or wages sheet.

His Honor: Then why not state that? That is a breach of the award. Have you ever heard of any person being tried at Darlinghurst "for breaking the law?" If you cannot get the names you should say "to some persons unknown."

Mr. Wegg Horne: It is a matter of the greatest difficulty to get any information from these institutions at all.

His Honor: But you cannot dispense with the law because it is hard to comply with it. Can you show me that this is a good information?

Mr. Wegg Horne: I cannot prove a specific breach?

His Honor: The information is dismissed. It is general and indefinite.

DICKSON v ST. MAGDALENE'S RETREAT LAUNDRY.

Mr. Wegg Horne appeared for A. E. Dickson; and Mr. Watt, instructed by Messrs. Murphy and Maloney, for the trustees of St. Magdalene's Retreat Laundry. A similar objection was taken by Mr. Watt and upheld.

His Honor dismissed the information.

DICKSON v HOME OF HOPE LAUNDRY.

Mr. Wegg Horne appeared for A. E. Dickson; and Mr. Roberts for the trustees of the Home of Hope Laundry. Mr. Roberts took the same objections as Mr. Watt, and the information was dismissed.

His Honor allowed three guineas costs in each of the two first cases, which were heard together, and five guineas costs in the case in which Mr. Roberts appeared.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Murray.)

ALLEGED BREACH OF AGREEMENT.

George Richard Irving, dairy farmer, of Penrith, proceeded against William Cameron and Lydia Dunk, wife of H. R. Dunk, trading as the Sydney Milk and Ice Company, for the recovery of £200 for alleged breach of agreement.

Plaintiff alleged that defendants accepted a supply of milk from his dairy herd for only a portion of the period agreed upon, and then refused to accept it for the remainder of the term. The defendants pleaded that they did not agree, as alleged; that the plaintiff was not always ready and willing to carry out the agreement, and that they were not guilty of the alleged breach.

Mr. Pickburn, instructed by Messrs. John M'Laughlin and Son, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Davey, instructed by Mr. P. J. Clines, for the defendants.

His Honor gave judgment for plaintiff for £30.

HARROLD v BEAUMONT.

Mr. G. T. Martin, instructed by Mr. P. K. White, appeared for the claimant; and Mr. Curtis, instructed by Mr. W. H. Drew, for the respondent.

This was an interpleader action brought by Thomas Harrold, of 39 Turner-street, Redfern, against George William Beaumont. The case originated out of an action brought by Beaumont against Johanna M'Namara (commonly known as Mrs. Harrold), mother of the claimant, for the recovery of damages in connection with his having been bitten by her dog. A verdict was given for £35 and costs in Beaumont's favour, and subsequently execution was put in on Mrs. M'Namara's premises. Among the goods on the premises were two cabs, three horses, and harness, and other things, which Thomas Harrold, the present claimant, alleged to be his; and this action was to determine the ownership of the goods in question.

His Honor found for the respondent.

A VALUER'S RETAINER.

John Yelverton Mills, of the English, Scottish, and Australian Bank-buildings, King-street, proceeded against the City Council of Sydney for £5 5s alleged to be due as a retainer as a valuer in connection with the matter of Gillespie's claim in reference to the resumption of certain land at Pyrmont. The defendants paid £2 2s into court in satisfaction of the claim.

Mr. Peden, instructed by Messrs. Fitzhardinge, Son, and Houston, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Dawson, city solicitor, appeared for the defendant council.

After hearing the evidence, his Honor gave a verdict for £3 3s, in addition to the amount paid into court.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Backhouse and juries.)

Mr. Herbert Harris prosecuted.

ACQUITTED.

Samuel Jepson and John Mullane were charged with having assaulted and robbed Stella Chapman. The case for the prosecutrix was that the two men went to the house of the complainant in Forbes-street, and asked for a drink. A disturbance then ensued, in the course of which she missed her brooch. It was found later in the garden. The accused pleaded not guilty, and were acquitted without any evidence being taken for the defence.

A FRAUDULENT CHEQUE.

Harold Herbert Bradley pleaded not guilty of any attempt at fraud in connection with a charge of forging and uttering a cheque for £4 2s 6d. The cheque, it was stated in the case for the prosecution, was accepted as security for a room by the night porter of a coffee palace, the manager having previously declined to cash it.

Accused admitted having written the cheque, but asserted that he had no intention of using it fraudulently, having given it to the night porter on the understanding that he was to receive it back in the morning. He got a receipt from the porter.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and Bradley was remanded for sentence.

A SERVANTS' QUARREL.

On a charge of inflicting grievous bodily harm on George Carta, Charles Williams pleaded not guilty. Both complainant and accused were coloured men. They were employed at a boarding-house at Mosman, and Carta's collarbone, it was stated, was broken in a quarrel.

Mr. P. K. White appeared for the accused. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

A MIDNIGHT EPISODE.

Mary Drew, charged with having stolen £8 from the person of Thomas Kearney, on August 13, pleaded not guilty.

Mr. E. R. Abigail appeared for the defence.

The complainant, a compositor in the Government Printing Office, stated that at midnight on the date mentioned, after leaving work on the Parliamentary staff, he was accosted in the street by the accused, who asked him the time. She grabbed hold of him, and took eight sovereigns from his pocket. He tried to get her to the police station in a cab, but a man who came up got in the cab with them, and on witness leaving the cab with the intention of telephoning the police the woman got away. The accused was subsequently arrested. He was certain she was the woman referred to.

The defence was one of mistaken identity, evidence being given that the accused was not in the vicinity stated at the time the incident occurred.

After a retirement of three hours the jury asked a number of questions, and commented on the fact that the cabman had not been called to give evidence. The accused was shortly afterwards acquitted on the charge.

ASSAULT ON A GIRL.

Jack Murray (coloured), charged with having assaulted a girl of under 14 years of age, was found guilty, and remanded for sentence.

LAW NOTICES.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12.

SUPREME COURT.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Chief Clerk.—Morrison v Morrison, 10.15 a.m.; Woodham v Woodham, 10.15 a.m.; Perry v Perry, 10.20 a.m.; North v Best, 10.30 a.m.; Miradian v Sland, 11 a.m.; same v same, 11.30 a.m.

In Equity.—Before the Chief Judge in Equity.—10 a.m.: Schwartz v Schmellitscheck (part heard). Before Mr. Justice Street, No. 1 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.: Farmers and Settlers' Co-operative Society, Ltd., and Company's Act, further hearing. At 11 a.m.: Gosche v Stacker and Fisher, hearing. Before the Master in Equity.—11 a.m.: Smith v Kitt, to proceed on account. Before the Deputy Registrar.—11 a.m.: Umphelby v Douglas, to tax costs (six bills).

Probate Jurisdiction.—The following accounts will be taken at the Probate Office: R. D. Allen, 11; Ellen Scanlon, 11.30; George Mann, 12; Thomas Richards, 12.30. Before the Registrar.—To settle minutes: Mary Ann Belger, 2 p.m.

In Lunacy.—Before the Master, at 10.15 a.m.—Re insane patient, for directions.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar.—At 10 a.m.—Single meeting: David John Moore. Public examinations: William Edward Asprey, re Eugene Owen Callaghan, deceased. Examination under section 30: Re Eugene Owen Callaghan.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Heydon.—At 10 a.m.—Summonses for penalty, to be mentioned and adjourned: G. R. Young v F. Ash, Ltd. (four cases), same v Cleve, same v Lack. For hearing: Masters and Engineers' Association of New South Wales, application for constitution of board; re Aerated Waters Board, for leave to appeal by Brewery Employees' Union; re same board, for leave to appeal by Mather and others. Summonses for penalty: S. W. Watson v Penfold and Co., A. E. O'Brien v B. Wirth, same v F. Bock, same v P. Kleres (two cases), same v A. Kong, G. R. Young v B. Israel, same v N. Lewis.

INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.

Before the Industrial Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m. To be mentioned: Re Clothing (Tailoring) award, application under clause 20 by Lance and Co. For hearing: Same award, applications under clause 20 by Hagon and Co., Hagon Bros., R. C. Hagon (2), J. M. Cavanagh and Co., J. Fraser, E. Howes, and F. Howes and Co.; Sydney Progressive Society of Carpenters and Joiners, application for registration, Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners objectors.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Murray.—At 10 a.m.: Fonsard v Griffiths and another (part heard), Nicholls v Burrell, Stewart v Gibb.

Note. The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

SYDNEY QUARTER SESSIONS.

Alfred Benson, larceny; Thomas Roberts, stealing in a dwelling; Arthur Simpson, robbery; Austin Edwards, indecent assault.

FARRIERS' WAGES BOARD'S AWARD.

OPERATION OF THE SLOW WORKERS' CLAUSE.

INTERVENTION BY THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Application was made in the Industrial Court yesterday, under the provisions of section 40 of the Industrial Disputes Act, for leave to appeal against the award given by the Farriers' (metropolitan district) Board a few months ago. The application was made on behalf of the Attorney-General by Mr. Windeyer, who was instructed by the Crown Solicitor.

Mr. Windeyer said his instructions were simply to see that the proper steps were taken to call the Court's attention to what was a very important matter of the interpretation and administration of the law. It concerned the administration of the Act in almost every trade. In clause 2 of the award it was stated that "journeymen and duly indentured apprentices shall be the only persons employed in the trade, except boys employed to bring and take home horses only," and in clause 4 it was set forth that "any workman who, being an incompetent, slow, or infirm worker, is unable to earn the minimum wage, may be paid such less wage as may be agreed upon in writing from time to time between himself and his employer. Every workman and employer who enters into such an agreement shall, with seven days, notify in writing the particulars of the same to the secretary of the claimant union, who, if dissatisfied, may appeal to the Registrar, whose decision shall be final." Slow and infirm workers were the chief persons affected, and they were unlikely to appeal, but as public interests were likely to be affected, and as questions of the public good were involved, the Attorney-General had seen fit to intervene.

His Honor: It appears to me to be a very important matter to the unions generally.

Mr. Windeyer said the grounds of appeal were (1) that the board had no power to restrict employment in the trade to journeymen and apprentices, and (2) that the board was in error in restricting employment in the trade to the classes of labour mentioned as such restriction was against the interests of the public. On September 7 the Industrial Registrar addressed a letter to the Attorney-General on the subject. Mr. Addison wrote:—"Under the award of the Farriers' Board, it will be seen that the Industrial Registrar is a tribunal established to determine appeals in disputes as to the wages of incompetent, slow, or infirm workers. Several appeals have been made to me under this clause, and further appeals, I understand, are imminent, the employees concerned, not being journeymen firemen or journeymen floormen, or competent to carry through the work of such journeymen, but being persons who assist the employer or journeymen in various ways, chiefly by striking or by putting on shoes in easy cases. The employers offer lower wages than the minimum fixed, and the union strongly opposes this, and refers to clause 2 of the award 'journeymen and duly indentured apprentices shall be the only persons employed in the trade), and mentions that the slow workers' provision is intended to refer only to incompetent, slow, or infirm journeymen. If, therefore, I adhere to the award, which I understand from the chairman was intended to exclude from exployment in various shops such persons as are before me, I deny those persons employment in perhaps the only trade of which they have any knowledge. On the other hand, if I allow less wages than the minimum, the effect will be to admit to the trade labour which has been deliberately excluded by the board for the purpose of ensuring that the wage of qualified journeymen shall be maintained. I have dealt with a great number of these "slow worker" clauses in various industries, and have hitherto been able to adjust all difficulties, but in this case I find myself in the dilemma which I have indicated, and as the matter seems to me to raise a very important question as to whether the Legislature intended to empower an industrial board to its award to limit the right of an employer to employ whom he chooses, or the employee to work for whom he chooses, except where the board is expressly authorised, I ventured to submit the matter for the consideration of the Premier so that he may have the opportunity of forming an opinion as to whether the public interests are affected, in which case the Crown may appeal to the Industrial Court under section 40 of the Act. No appeal has been made by any party, and I may point out that the persons most vitally affected are those slow workers, who are not likely to take the opportunity of appeal afforded by the Act. In certain other awards similar provisions have been inserted, usually by agreement of the parties restricting the right of employment to certain persons."

Mr. Windeyer went on to point out that the principle that was really being contended for was that only skilled persons should be recognised in certain industries.

Mr. Croft said he understood that the application was an ex parte one. He had received no instructions, but he represented the farriers and bookbinders.

His Honor said the application involved important questions as to the principles to be laid down for the construction and administration of the Act. He proposed to adjourn the matter for a fortnight, and meantime to give notice to the secretaries of unions interested in various awards. He would direct notice to be given to secretaries interested in the awards in the furniture trade, the bookbinders and paper-rulers, the hairdressers, and the secretaries of the Trades and Labour Council and of the Employers' Federation.

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THE PACIFIC FISHERIES, LIMITED.

WINDING-UP ORDER GRANTED.

"SUBSTRATUM OF COMPANY GONE."

Yesterday Mr. Justice Street, sitting in Equity, delivered a lengthy reserved judgment in the above matter. In the course of his decision he said that the petition was one for the compulsory winding-up of the Pacific Fisheries, Limited, presented by shareholders and by creditors. The grounds upon which the petition was based were:—1. That the substratum of the company was gone. 2. That it was unable to pay its debts; and (3) that it was just and equitable that it should be wound up. The agreement of February 17, 1908, referred to in the memorandum of association was an agreement whereby Henderson and Evans agreed to sell, and Bondfield, as trustee for the company, agreed to purchase the patent rights for New South Wales of an invention entitled "Kyle's means for a method of preventing the decomposition of fish" for the sum of £12,500, payable as to £2500 in cash, and as to £10,000 in fully-paid shares of the company. The number of shares actually subscribed for by members of the public was 2431, of which 3015 had been fully called up, though many members were in arrears with their calls, while 416 had been called up to 15s a share.

It was not now pretended that on February 17, 1908, or at any time, Henderson and Evans owned the patent rights of the invention in question, but in an affidavit filed in opposition to this petition Henderson stated that though he and Evans were not the owners of the whole of the patent they had a contract to purchase 20-24ths of it, and knew that they could at any time purchase the remaining 4-24ths. The only written agreement that had been produced relating to the acquisition of the patent rights of the invention was an agreement dated February 18, 1908, for the purchase by Henderson and Evans from one Reid of Reid's interest in the letters patent, that interest representing a 10-24ths share. The purchase money was £500, of which 1s was paid in cash and the balance was payable on June 18, 1908. Both Reid and Henderson said that this agreement was substituted for an earlier one, and Reid said that the substitution was made at Henderson's request, as the earlier agreement did not agree with the prospectus. In point of fact, Henderson and Evans never were the owners of the patent, either at law or in Equity, and were never in a position to transfer the same to the company. Evans had absconded from the State, and could not now be found. After referring to the history of the company, his Honor said that on these facts the petitioning shareholders contended that the paramount purpose for which that company was formed was to acquire and work Kyle's patent, and that the company, never having acquired this, and never having been in a position to acquire it, its substratum had gone, and it was just and equitable that it should be wound up. On the other hand, it was contended by the company that the primary object for which it was formed was not merely to work Kyle's patent, but to work any useful patented inventions for preventing the decomposition of fish which might be acquired, and that every one of the objects mentioned in clause (3) (a) of the memorandum of association was equally a primary object with the acquisition of Kyle's patent. He was unable to agree with that contention.

The principle governing the cases in which the Court had made winding-up orders on the ground that the substratum of the company was gone was, he thought, first enunciated by Lord Cairns in the Suburban Hotel Company (12 Chancery, 737, at page 750). He said, "If it were shown to the Court that the whole substratum of the partnership, the whole of the business which the company was incorporated to carry on has become impossible, I apprehend that the Court might, either under the Act of Parliament, or on general principles, order the company to be wound up." His Honor, after also citing The German Date Coffee Company (20 Chancery Division, 169), and re Coolgardie Consolidated Gold Mines, Ltd., (76 "Law Times," 269), said that these passages would suffice to show the principles upon which the Courts acted when a winding-up order was asked for on the ground that the substratum of the company was gone, and the determination in each case must depend upon the facts and upon the construction to be put upon the words of the particular memorandum of association under consideration.

He applied those principles to the facts disclosed in the present case. It was contended by Mr. Maughan that the case was distinguishable from such cases as those of the Haven G. M. Company, and the Coolgardie Consolidated Gold Mines, Ltd., in that, though the company had failed to acquire the right to use Kyle's patent, it had acquired the rights in an invention of Henderson, for which a patent had been applied for. Henderson said that he applied for his patent on December 3, 1908. On December, 28, 1908, he offered to sell it to the company, and on January 2, 1909, an agreement for purchase was entered into. The company had been in existence for more than a year, and the patent has not been got, nor was there any certainty that it would be got. During the 12 months and more that the company had been in existence the only business that had been done was that 10 tons of fish were sent to market in September of last year, and six shipments were made this year. Some of these were shipments of fish not treated by any process whatever. Whether the shipments made last year were sold at a profit he did not know, but as regarded those of this year the only profit made was a profit of £1 4s on a shipment of untreated fish. The position was that the company after being in existence for upwards of a year had altogether failed to acquire the patent which it was formed to work, had to all intents and purposes never carried on business, and had nothing for its shareholders but an agreement with one of the promoters, who, after breaking faith with them, now offered them, in lieu of that which he held out to them as an inducement to subscribe, an untried and not yet patented invention of his own.

He thought that the real thing for which people subscribed their money was to work Kyle's patent, and that, this having failed altogether, the substratum of the company had gone, and the petitioning shareholders, if they had any locus standi to present a petition, were entitled to the order for which they asked. This brought him to the question whether the petitioning shareholders had any locus standi to present the petition. If taken at face value, the unpaid calls and uncalled capital were no doubt sufficient to meet all existing liabilities, and, in an ordinary case, and in the absence of evidence of insolvency of the shareholders, it would be the duty of the Court to assume that these amounts would be paid. There was evidence, however, that some shareholders, when sued in respect of their unpaid calls, pleaded that they were induced to take up their shares through fraud and misrepresentation, and that the actions were therefore discontinued; and Henderson in his affidavit stated that all summonses for non-payment of calls, with the exception of about four, had been withdrawn. In these circumstances it was difficult to say how much of the unpaid capital was recoverable, if payment was resisted, and whether there would by any surplus remaining, after satisfying the mortgage debt, which, assuming it to be good, covered practically the whole of the assets.

He thought, therefore, that the company was commercially insolvent; that was to say, that its available assets were insufficient to meet its current liabilities. The only creditors who joined in the petition as originally presented were John Sands and Co., and they were afterwards paid, but he allowed the petition to be amended by joining as petitioners Messrs. Turner and Henderson, who claimed to be creditors for £51 9s 3d, payment of which had been repeatedly applied for without avail. For the reasons stated he thought that the petition succeeded, and that a winding-up order should be made, but he thought that those of the petitioning creditors who were in arrears with their calls must pay the arrears into Court, in accordance with the undertaking contained in the petition. He therefore made the usual winding-up order, and as the petition succeeded both as creditors' petition and as a shareholders' petition he did not make the order conditionally upon the arrears of calls being paid, but he ordered the petitioning shareholders who were in arrear with their calls to pay the same into Court within 21 days from this date. The costs of the petitioners and of the company to come out of the assets.

At the hearing Mr. Harriott, instructed by Messrs. Wilson and Harriott, appeared for the petitioners; and Mr. Maughan, instructed by Mr. H. B. Primrose, to oppose.

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

At the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Payten, S.M., the charge preferred against Christopher Swain, 31, a canvasser, and Arnold Robson, 40, an agent, of conspiring to defraud Patrick John Toohey and Thos. Edward Page, trading as Toohey and Page, at Kent and Erskine streets, and others, of divers large sums of money, between August 14 and September 18 last, was concluded.

Mr. Mant, of the Crown Law Office, prosecuted; and Mr. Wallace appeared for the two accused.

Further evidence was given that the accused Swain bought articles for small amounts from T. S. Prescott and Co., tobacconists, and from Foley Brothers, produce merchants, of Sussex-street. He tendered in payment cheques signed by Robson for much larger amounts, and received the change, and when the cheques were presented at the bank they were dishonoured.

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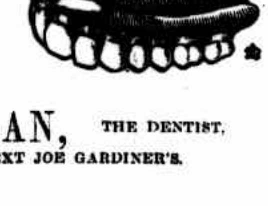
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THE RAILWAY PROBLEM.

That the deputation of pastoralists when it waits on the Premier this week will be a determined and aggrieved one may be taken for granted. The question of railway facilities has reached a stage when it can only cause alarm to all that important section of the community whose prosperity depends upon reliable and regular transit of stock and produce. That section being the men on the land,—the agricultural and pastoral foundation upon which rests all our industrial and commercial fabric,—the question is of moment to the whole community, and it is not too much to say that at the present time it is the most important one with which the State is concerned. That it will be definitely remedied in time is certain, but the trouble is that an immediate remedy, or appreciable relief at least, is required. And it is here that the seriousness of the position becomes apparent, for it is not easy to see how such relief is to be provided. Owing to the exceptionally fierce light that has beaten on the railways during the last 18 months, those interested are fairly seized with the situation. Although the Government has been expediting the construction of more rolling stock during that time, we are told by the Chief Commissioner that the trouble cannot be met by such provision, as duplication of the main lines is essential for the railway service to cope with the demands now made upon it. Accepting that expert opinion as correct, the position is about as serious as can be imagined. The duplication will, according to the Treasurer, take years to effect, and at the present moment the grievance is a question of days. Similarly, in regard to the accommodation at Homebush, it must be remembered that if the Government was convinced of the wisdom of shifting the yards to the abattoir site, this work would take a long time to complete, and would be of no immediate benefit. The present position would be unimproved, and the chance of satisfactorily shifting our fat stock be as remote as ever. Opening the dead end at Flemington may bring some measure of relief, and if so, it is certainly extraordinary that this simple reform should take so long to accomplish. Despite the publicity that has been given this matter it really seems that the Government and Parliament have not yet fully grasped what this inadequacy on the part of the railways means to the country. No surprise can honestly be expressed at the climax that has been reached, for warnings have been many and constant for months past.

The incompetency to meet the demands of primary producers is nothing new, unfortunately, in this country, although it should be the first consideration, having regard to our situation. It has simply reached breaking point, and become intolerable, and that fact, no doubt, will be driven home by the deputation to the head of the Government. It is certainly time that the Premier was approached, for the situation has passed all intermediate stages. It is an issue which the stockowner and wheatgrower must insist upon being settled unless we are to have widespread loss. For not only is the fat stock and lambing trade being blocked in its legitimate course, and the blessings of a bountiful season being curtailed by man's incapacity, but we are enjoying a largely increased clip, and confidently expecting a record harvest, while behind it all is a strong and desirable expansion in settlement, with all the consequent increased demands upon the railways. If, as there is reason to apprehend, the requirements of the State have outgrown our railway service, the truth will have to be faced. For we should then have reached a time of emergency, when emergency measures are necessary, and the deputation will be warranted in impressing upon the Premier, if such be the case, that to talk about waiting many years for the duplication of the main lines, and other essential facilities, is simply to make land settlement and rural progress a dead letter. We have already pointed out that closer settlement is inseparably bound up with this question. It is useless to go opening up country, and placing men on the land, if they cannot absolutely rely upon shifting their stock and crops at the proper time. The settler must depend upon the railway all the time, and, if it fails him, his chance of success diminishes to vanishing point. There is, however, one result of closer settlement, happily, which may in time be expected to relieve the pressure on the railways so far as the main terminus is concerned. We can confidently anticipate that the opening up of country holdings will hasten the development of our country towns. Such centres as Wagga, Orange, and Tamworth, for instance, should rapidly emerge from large towns to important inland cities, with populations that have to be fed. The establishment of large inland markets will distribute produce and live stock, and to that extent decentralise our railway system. But that is of the future, and the truck trouble is very much of the present.

ITEMS.

It is reported locally that a definite offer has been made by a Victorian syndicate for three large estates on the Upper Richmond. The amount offered runs into seven figures.

The first consignment of cheese from Queensland, amounting to over 40 tons, has been exported to London, and the result will be awaited with interest. The shipment became necessary on account of the supply being greater than the local consumption. The output of dairy produce is increasing, the last week's offerings for export showing an increase of nearly 1000 boxes on the previous week. Not the whole of this would be due to the improved season, as some, no doubt, was due to diverting butter which has been going interstate during the winter months.

There is considerable disappointment locally in the knowledge that the Government does not intend to expend more than £15,000 on the roads on the Peel River resumed area, as £36,000 was withheld from the purchase money for this purpose. It is a serious mistake to handicap settlers with bad roads, for roads are all important to the man on the land.

Fourteen approved methods of irrigating, adapted to practically every kind of land and the various tree, root, and vine crops, were demonstrated on a fifteen-acre tract near Spokane in connection with the seventeenth session of the National Irrigation Congress in Spokane. The purpose was to afford the delegates to the congress and visitors an opportunity to study the best known means of supplying moisture by artificial means to orchards, berry, and sugar beet fields, vineyards, and hay and grain lands.

Some sheep of the Bharal variety, better known as the blue sheep of Thibet, have been imported to New Zealand, where it is proposed to liberate them in some suitable part. The male stands 3ft high, with horns from 24in to 26in long. In Thibet these sheep run in herds up to 100 on the high open lands above the forests, and are never found at a lesser elevation than 10,000ft.

The production of condensed milk has made great strides in Queensland. Last year the output was 230,000 cases, or more than half the production of the Commonwealth, and this year the production is expected to be 300,000 cases, or about 10,000 tons. The advent of Nestle's gave a great push to the trade in Queensland, and really opened the eyes of the local people to the possibilities of the industry. Factories which have been opened have found that the demand for the milk is greater than they can supply. The mining fields and the western stations are great consumers of condensed milk.

Coburn's book of lucerne says that it is very long-lived; fields in Mexico, it is claimed, have been continuously productive without replanting for over 200 years, and others in France are known to have flourished for more than a century. Its usual life in the United States is probably from ten to twenty-five years, although there is a field in New York that has been mown successively for over sixty years. It is not unlikely that under its normal conditions and with normal care, it would wellnigh be, as it is called, everlasting.

A part of the policy of the Queensland Government consists in sinking wells and bores on lands to be offered to intending selectors. Not in all cases is the provision sufficient for the needs of the new men, but the bore sunk is intended more towards showing that water really exists at certain depths. The Government found so much difficulty about private well borers taking up the work that four boring plants were secured by the Government. The same difficulty continues, and the Government has decided to increase the number of its plants to seven. This will give two plants capable of reaching 4000ft, one 1500ft, and the remainder 500ft. It is computed that the Government plant can work much more economically than the private plants; at all events, the Government has been getting the work done at a cheaper rate, and the plants have worked satisfactorily.

The Utah experiment station made six tests of lucerne hay in comparison with timothy for horses under varying conditions of work, and found that it was less difficult to maintain their weight with lucerne. The appearance of the horses in every comparison was in favour of those fed on lucerne, and no ill results were noted on their health by long-continued feeding. Fourteen-hundred-pound horses at hard work could be maintained in condition on 32.6lb of lucerne hay per day, and at rest 20lb was sufficient for the same horses.

THE WESTERN DISTRICT.

THE SEASON'S PROSPECTS.

The Western district of the State, more particularly that portion of it which embraces the wheat-growing areas, at the present time offers a fine contrast to the conditions of last year, when the crops were largely a failure, and the yield one of the lowest on record. On every hand the country shows the blessings of a good season, and the wonderful fertility the soil possesses when assisted by the necessary rain. This year it has come just when it was wanted. Naturally this has meant great vegetative growth, and the wheat plants are a wonderful example of this. The way they have stooled out points to the possibilities of haymaking as against stripping for grain. The area is one largely increased, and this alone indicates the confidence the man who knows the country has in its recuperative powers. Those who have done this are likely to reap a big reward.

A good deal of difference of opinion among those capable of judging is shown as to whether the season will be a hay-making or grain one. If it is the former there will probably be a big drop in the prices of chaff and wheaten hay. Already in some of the districts the binder is at work cutting for hay. This was noticeable around Dubbo last week. One field near the Trailbragar formed quite a picturesque scene, the binder at work, and the men picking up the sheaves and stacking them, while the green tinge of the country side, backed up by the timber along the creek, was one of rural contentment and charm, in the pleasure of harvesting. The early crops this year have come on by leaps and bounds, and although the stock had been turned in on them, and even the mower used in checking their growth, most of them are above the fence.

In a season such as the present it would be difficult to differentiate as to where the crops were looking their best. The early-sown wheat looks ready to cut now, but in some instances the grain has not filled out the ears. Farmers are hoping that a few judicious showers will adjust matters. In this direction, if these showers do not come, then probably many will cut for hay. The late crops, too, have more than justified themselves, and are looking well. In the more-favoured districts, such as Narromine, Wellington, Dubbo, and around Gilgandra and Balladoran, prospects were never brighter.

The Gilgandra district offers a unique example of what closer settlement will do. A few years ago the land around Gilgandra was largely given over to grazing purposes, and although its value for cereals was recognised and demonstrated, it is only during the last few years that the district has come into its own and proved its utility for mixed farming. There has been a steady influx into the district of farmers, who know a little more than the rudiments of the game, and these men, by a judicious combination of sheep and wheat, point the way to the settlement of many of our inland centres, which at present are in the hands of a few, the opening up of which will give the development that is so necessary for our national existence. That the future of this part of the west is assured is shown by the progress of the town, and the erection of a large mill by Messrs. M. M'Leod and Company, of Wellington. This firm are also erecting a large grain shed, capable of storing a quarter of a million bushels of the cereal alongside its mill, which adjoins the railway line. The mill will be ready to deal with this season's crop, and by the look of things it will be kept busy.

The Government has resumed a small estate at Gilgandra under the Closer Settlement Act, and there will be an eager demand for the land as soon as it is available. Privately much land is being disposed of, and farms are changing hands at prices which are advantageous to the vendor. Land has now reached such a price that many are inclined to think that it becomes a question as to whether wheatgrowing can be made profitable when the amount of invested capital is considered. The genuine landseeker, as a rule, however, is anxious to secure land, and depends upon his enterprise and energy to make the farm pay. It is the speculating in land values which does harm, and this is what is to be guarded against in all schemes of settlement. The State has too long suffered with this trafficking in land, and the man who is the bona-fide settler is what is wanted. While wheat will ever form the bulk of the productions of the west as far as agriculture is concerned, its possibilities in the direction of fruitgrowing have yet to be developed. On many a western station the quality and size of the oranges grown are such that would put the product of some recognised orange-growing districts to shame. The handicap that the western grower of fruit has is the necessarily heavy freight to Sydney compared with those more adjacent to the metropolis. Most of the fruit does not grow in sufficient quantity to justify a trade with Sydney, and there is often not enough to supply local wants.

But this is by the way. The most serious problem facing the western farmer this year will be the supply of labour. A late shearing is likely to make labour scarcer than it has been for some time. Around Coonamble, where a quantity of wheat is grown for hay, it was reported that as much as 13s a day was being paid to those engaged in haymaking. Most farmers do not anticipate any difficulty with regard to labour for harvest. What concerns many is the pressure that will be put on the railways if expectations are realised. While much of the wheat will be stored in the country, still if there is anything of a brisk demand the traffic will be very heavy.

THE PRICKLY PEAR.

Mr. J. M. Rees, shire clerk, Wingadee shire, writes:—Some days ago there appeared in your columns a letter over the name of Mr. R. H. Higgins, president of the Shires' Association, commenting on the resolution submitted by the Wingadee shire for the consideration of the Local Government Association's conference, and there agreed to unanimously, urging on the Government the advisableness of handing over the administration of the Prickly Pear Act to the various councils. Mr. Higgins as a grazier of many years' standing, and one that should know well the land in the Wingadee shire, must be aware that so far this shire is not infested with this pest, and it is with the view that prevention is better than a very doubtful cure that this council is asking that the burden (?) be handed to them of keeping the pest out. To your readers I beg to point out that at present the Prickly Pear Act is administered through the Lands Department, and the officer that acts generally in the matter is the inspector of conditional purchases. Unfortunately, like most matters under the control of this department, there are delays, as the inspector reports to his superior officers—say the Under-Secretary or to his district survey office—and after many weeks the reports are perhaps dealt with; but in the meantime the pear grows and multiplies.

To the south of this shire lies the shire of Gilgandra, where there are thousands of acres of land completely valueless owing to it being infested with pear, and though the department offered this land as prickly pear leases at a nominal rental of about one shilling per annum for each block no one would take it, as the cost of eradicating the pear would be so heavy, and the conditions were stringent, considering the tenure was short, the result being that the pear is still there thriving and spreading; the Lands Department makes no attempt to destroy it, and every rise in the Castlereagh River, which flows through the land mentioned, carries the roots, etc., down into this shire. As an illustration of the methods of the Lands Department, I might mention that some short time ago a clump of pear was found to be growing on a reserve in this vicinity; the usual report was sent in, and in due time the officer was instructed to call tenders for destroying it. No tenders were received, and the pear, as far as we know is still there, and will be there till such time as somebody of a practical turn of mind shall have the power to deal with it. Methods like those mentioned above will mean that a large area out of the total area in this shire of 2,427,736 acres will become in a short time pear-infested, and as badly as the shire Mr. Higgins quotes.

The cost of administering the Prickly Pear Act by the councils would be very small, as no more staff would be required in many cases, as there is a staff already in existence dealing with noxious weeds. The destruction of pear is compulsory on private owners, and the shire officers being always on the spot would see that the owners carried out instructions given, thus avoiding red tape and delay. Wingadee shire is one of the five largest shires in the State, has over 1000 miles of roads, and has the largest revenue at 1d in the £ of all shires, and receives in spite of its length of roads no Government aid. Yet this council, with its revenue of £6150 (of which £1848 is paid by the six councillors), is only too anxious to undertake this additional work, knowing that it would be to the benefit of the ratepayers and of the State that this Act was properly administered.

Mr. Higgins quotes a "Bingara" shire. This I cannot find, but I presume he means the Gwydir shire, with an area of 711,270 acres, and receiving an endowment from the Government of 25s for every £1 of rates levied. Mr. Higgins's home shire, that of Ashford, has an area of 1,341,850 acres, and receives an endowment of 15s in the £1, and it is only fair that shires in which some of the richest land in the State is situated, like those mentioned, should in return for the handsome endowments paid them do something more than look after roads only, and try to prevent the loss to the State of some of its best land. That "Bingara" shire is badly infested with pear is only an argument that the administration of the Act should be moved from the department that allowed the land to become so, to a body of matter-of-fact, business, practical men, who will see at least in their own interest that the Act is properly administered.

Local governing bodies must recognise that their duties are not merely parochial ones, and show that the interest of the State generally is also at heart; and if an additional expenditure is necessary on an object like the prevention of the spread of prickly pear, then it is money very well expended. To move slowly, as Mr. Higgins suggests, is not to move at all in a matter like this, that requires prompt attention.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT.

COFF'S HARBOUR.—The Orara blocks of land that were recently made available for selection, and for which 60 applications were made, were dealt with at Bellingen, when Mr. John Ferrett and Mr. Robert Lee were successful in the ballot. Both were local men.

WEST WYALONG.—The Closer Settlement Advisory Board are to arrive here this week for the purpose of inspecting about 50,000 acres of improvement leases on Messrs. S. Wilson and Co.'s Lake Cowal holding. The notification forwarded to the secretary of the Farmers and Settlers' Association does not state whether evidence will be taken, but the association is prepared to furnish same if required.

AN UNUSUAL EVENT.

BELLINGEN.—A cow belonging to Mr. C. P. Greer, of Fernmount, has given birth to triplet calves, which are all living, are perfectly formed, and appear to be in robust health.

CAPE WEED.

BELLINGEN.—Cape weed has been found on different parts of the river, and appears to be becoming more plentiful. Mr. Kearney, stock inspector, thinks it has probably been introduced in chaff. He says the plant is rich in chloro, and is very deadly to horses, causing in the first place a swelling of the head and glands. Horses become very violent, then coma ensues, with tetanic symptoms, shivering fits, low temperature, and finally death. Cattle are not affected if feed is mixed, but where Cape weed predominates impaction ensues, with fatal results.

LAND FOR SETTLEMENT.

DUNGOG.—The Underbank Estate, owned by Mr. W. H. Mackay, of Anambah, near Maitland, and about 20 miles north of Dungog, containing 7000 acres, is being subdivided for closer settlement. This property comprises some of the best land in the district, and already a number of prospective buyers have been inspecting.

SHEARING.

COOTAMUNDRA.—Nearly all the shearing sheds in the district are in full swing. Rain keeps off well, and there is every prospect of an early cut-out.

COONAMBLE.—Nearly all the large sheds in the district have finished shearing. Up to date 60,000 have been put through at the Coonamble woolscour, and 12 men are shearing at the rate of 16,000 per week.

GLEN INNES.—Shearing has commenced.

MOLONG.—Shearing is proceeding rather slowly throughout the district, on account of the majority of the sheds working short-handed as regards shearers. Daily consignments of wool are being delivered at the local railway station for despatch to Sydney. The clip is very fine.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

BOGGABRI.—A large and modern flour mill is to be erected by Tremain Brothers in Boggabri. The wheat crops look exceedingly well.

COONAMBLE.—D. Cameron has completed the deepening of the bore on J. Lander's Yuma property. The depth is 2171ft, and the flow 1,808,000 gallons per day.

DUNGOG.—The copious rains of the past few weeks have made the present season one of the most prosperous on record. The dairying industry, which had got to a very low ebb during the winter months, has been given a great impetus.

FOREST REEFS.—Poisoning on some of the big sheep runs accounted for 16 foxes in three days, and five pups were dug out of a burrow alive. The rabbit trade is gradually falling off here. Some of the buyers at Millthorpe have left for other parts. Many farmers here, having experimented with a variety of tubers last year, are retaining for seed this year Freemans, Bliss's Triumph, Mount Gambier, Manhattans, and Satisfaction, for having given the best results all round. Stable manure is found almost equal to artificial. The report that blight has been found in the district is causing some alarm.

MOLONG.—Inspector Rankin has concluded a three months' inspection of the Molong Pastures Protection Board district. With the object of ascertaining the number of owners who had not been assessed. His report discloses that 37 owners had escaped taxation, the area of land aggregating about 20,000 acres.

TAMWORTH.—Two Greeks, who have lived in Greece and Turkey, are about to commence farming in this district. They will grow the best kinds of Turkish tobacco. Tamworth district, it is stated, is eminently suited for growing this class of tobacco.

STOCK PASSINGS.

COONAMBLE.—Week ended October 9: 500 ewes, Avondale to Killarney, executors Wm. Rigney; 355 sheep, Eurimie to Combara, T. Holland; 230 lambs, Trenton to Orangedale, R. Hertel; 300 wethers, Victis to Baronne, F. W. Koenig; 800 sheep, Milton to Pine Grove, W. McMahon; 2909 ewes, Holyrood to Glenulla, R. W. Sigsby; 4800 wethers, Nebea to Narromine, H. Strahorn; 880 ewes, Rosedale to Forbes, A. R. Triggs; 2800 sheep, Warrington to Woolscour, A. Gordon; 900 fats, Fairview to Flemington, Walter Bassett; 350 fats, Gunyillah to Flemington, H. F. Croxon; 82 sheep, Bulgar to Homebush, W. B. Croxon; 1900 wethers, New Gulargambone to Sydney, G. W. Davidson; 164 sheep, Wilga Park to Homebush, Thos. Holland; 262 sheep, Mungery to Flemington, Fetherstonhaugh and Son; 1000 wethers, Kenilworth to Sandown, M. Landers; 104 sheep, Norwood Park to Homebush, H. Elliott; 354 wethers, Springhaven to Flemington, J. Mooy, jun.; 410 wethers, Eulalie to Homebush, W. J. Parsons; 700 wethers, Warrana to Homebush, W. J. Parsons; 750 wethers, Warrana to Homebush, W. M. Keogh; 450 sheep, Myall Forest to Flemington, Wm. Nott; 500 mixed fats, Woolingar to Flemington, J. Robertson; 400 wethers, Lorna to Sydney, E. H. Harvey; 1027 lambs and 1894 wethers, Beanbah to Flemington, Borthwick and Son; 900 sheep, Kensington to Homebush, Kennedy Bros.

KING'S BIRTHDAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I trust the King's Birthday is not going to be pushed on to the 15th of the month; if so, strike it out altogether. The 15th is not the King's Birthday, and I think it is very poor compliment to our Sovereign ruler that so little seems to be made of him. The Queen's Birthday was never interfered with. Then why should the insult be shown the King, as if he were of no importance? Now, where are our loyalists? Is the Empire Day more important than the King's Birthday?

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PROFITS OF NET-FISHING.

NARRABEEN LAKE.

Some astonishing figures were supplied to the Fisheries Board yesterday by members of a deputation of net-fishermen who desired that Narrabeen Lake should be thrown open to prawn-fishing during the season for the crustaceans. Messrs. Maudsley and Twight, introduced by Mr. E. Fanning, stated that the gross returns for fish to a party of four who netted Narrabeen during 1906-7 were £1832 9s. In addition they also captured £568 worth of prawns in 1907. These figures were submitted to the board to show that the fishery was by no means a depleted one, and also as a cogent argument against the existing three years' closure the board had decreed for the popular pleasure resort.

The members of the deputation submitted that they had been forced to go to other waters to catch fish while the lake contained enough fish to supply all Manly and part of the Sydney supply of fish and prawns. They asked that the lake should be opened to prawning during the season, that provision be made for the capture of the lake fish as they made their way out on the flood waters when the bar was cut through to the sea, and that, if neither of these requests could be granted, the general public should be prevented from using scoop-nets for the prawns. They contended that it was unfair to allow the scoopers to catch the prawns while the 15-fathom prawn net was prohibited.

Mr. Twight said they desired that amateurs should be given a dose of their own medicine. Prawn nets never did the lake any harm, but when the scoopers were at work at night the place was lighted up with lanterns from end to end like the fleet illuminations.

Mr. Hirsch stated that in one season he and a boy caught £80 worth of prawns. They only wanted to use the 15-fathom net.

A rival deputation which desired the lake to remain closed was present, and the spokesman asked the board to defer giving a decision on the matter until its representations were prepared. He pointed out that there were more than a few fishermen to be considered. Population had increased at Narrabeen, and the value of land there had gone up at a surprisingly rapid rate. The closure so far had been beneficial, as, according to observers, the lake had again filled up with fish. Amongst the deputation was Mr. Ralston, chairman of the local shire council, and they desired to prepare their case, as they had only just got word of the other deputation.

It was stated that the lake had been opened to the sea last week-end by direction of the shire council, and that a large body of fish had escaped to the sea.

Mr. F. Farnell (chairman of the board) said that every consideration would be given to the request, but it was only fair to hear the other side. Narrabeen was a natural fish nursery—one of hundreds along the coast—and the fish, after growing there, made their way to the sea, while young ones and ova returned to it.

Mr. Twight asked if the board intended to keep the lake as a nursery to replenish the ocean.

Mr. Farnell said that the lakes all acted as nurseries where fish were protected. The public had to be considered—not amateurs. It was shameful, if true, that netting had been carried on in the closed area, and if it could be proved that this had been done, and that the local Progress Association and others made no attempt to help in keeping the lake effectively closed, then the sooner it was thrown open to netting the better. Although scoop nets were illegal it had never been the intention of the Fisheries Act to prohibit their use by the public. He was glad to hear that netters had been so successful during 1906-7, and wished it were possible to estimate how many months it would take to scrape the lake clean of fish with nets.

Mr. Maudsley said he had been scraping the lake for the last two years, and yet, after the existing period of closure, it was again filled with fish.

The board decided to wait for a fortnight to hear what the rival deputation had to say.

MR. MOORE'S CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—When Mr. Wade some time back at Tamworth announced that in the five years previous to that date the Government had sold for closer settlement and cultivation over 11,000,000 acres of land in addition to 1,000,000 acres sold in private subdivisions, I at once looked up the official statistics as to the area of cultivation in N.S.W., to see what had been the result of this enormous legislative effort which was so triumphantly announced. I find that in the five years referred to (see Commonwealth Year Book) the area under cultivation in N.S.W. had decreased slightly—that is, for every acre of new land brought into cultivation by the tremendous effort of the Government a little more than an acre of old land had been thrown out of cultivation. The explanation of this seemed to me to be that Australia with her wide areas, rich mines, enormous trade, and small population, had reached the limit of cultivation possible without abandoning her other more profitable industries. On application to Mr. Knibbs, Commonwealth Statistician, I found that in area of cultivation in proportion to population Australia stands sixth among the civilised countries of the world, and that New Zealand is tenth, our area being one-fifth, or 20 per cent., greater than that of the Dominion, which is so often held up to us as an example of the brilliant success of legislative action in the way of forcing people to cultivate the land (see official statement of Mr. Knibbs, enclosed). In view of these figures I would like to ask what chance have we of bringing the Barren Jack irrigation area under intense culture, which requires at least ten times as many men per area as for ordinary cultivation. Now, with reference to the 12,000,000 acres of land made available for cultivation when Mr. Wade spoke and about 1,000,000 acres sold since, speaking from personal knowledge I have no hesitation in saying that a farm of unimproved or slightly improved land cannot be equipped with dwelling house, sheds, fences, water supply, working stock, and machinery for £5 per acre. In many cases it would cost £10 per acre, or over. That is, for 13,000,000 acres at £5 per acre, £65,000,000. Where is this capital to come from, and where are the men required to make it usable to be found? Can the farmers put in a crop of capital and a crop of men to start with? Certainly not on unimproved farms. No doubt there is a great and continually increasing demand for land in New South Wales—that is for land at less than its market value, with the additional attraction of a gamble in the form of a lottery thrown in. Every individual in the State who can comply with the conditions of residence, etc., and many from outside will be applicants. If the Government will put up sovereigns to be balloted for at 17s 6d each in the same way as the land lotteries are worked (money returned without deduction if you don't win), they would find there was a surprising demand for sovereigns at 17s 6d each that would increase continuously, and never be satisfied in just the same way the same causes that make the number of applicants in every land ballot greater and still greater while cultivation remains about as it was when Mr. Moore took the matter in hand. In view of these things, can anything be more farcical than the action of the Government and the speeches of our legislators? Under all the circumstances I think electors are justified in asking for a plain statement of the motive for Mr. Moore's policy of confiscation.

I am, etc., W. E. ABBOTT.
Wingen, Oct. 12.

Commonwealth of Australia.
Department of Home Affairs.
Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics.
Melbourne, September 24, 1909.

Sir,—In compliance with the request contained in your letter of 24th inst. I have pleasure in furnishing the following particulars relative to the area under crop per head of population in various countries:—

Country.	Area under crop per head of population.	Country.	Area under crop per head of population.
	Acres.		Acres.
Canada	3.60	Bulgaria	1.66
United States	3.15	Servia	1.56
Russia in Europe	3.10	Austria	1.39
Spain	2.91	Italy	1.32
Roumania	2.38	Germany	1.23
Australia	2.25	Norway	1.04
France	2.17	Netherlands	0.65
Hungary	2.17	United Kingdom	0.59
Denmark	2.15	Belgium	0.53
New Zealand	2.00	Japan	0.35
Sweden	1.69		

I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant,

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BIRTHS.

CHAMBERS.—October 9, 1909, at Wyaha, Epsom, Auckland, New Zealand, the wife of Preston Chambers—a son. (By cable.)

MAIDMENT MORRISON.—October 8, at Neutral Bay, to Major and Mrs. Maidment Morrison—a son (premature).

MITCHELL.—September 30, at St. Cuthbert's, Armidale, the wife of T. S. Mitchell, Strathroy—a son.

REID.—At her residence, Whevcar, Commodore-street, Newtown, the wife of Claude Lorraine Reid—a daughter (stillborn).

MARRIAGES.

YOUNG—HANSEN.—September 4, 1909, at Christ Church, Sydney, by the Rev. F. J. Albery, James Watt, youngest son of the late Edward J. Young, to Lily Edith, eldest daughter of the late Henry Theodore Hansen and Mrs. Knight, of Metropolitan-road, Enmore. Queensland papers please copy.

DEATHS.

AMOS.—October 10, 1909, at Longueville, suddenly, during Divine service, the Rev. Charles Edward Amos, aged 68 years.

BLAIR.—October 11, 1909, Charles Lithgow Blair, town clerk of Mosman, only son of the late William Blair, of Moore Park-road, Sydney. By request, no flowers.

CAHILL.—October 11, at her residence, Wandeen, Alexandra-street, Hunter's Hill, Elizabeth (Lizzie), the dearly loved wife of Michael Cahill, aged 37 years.

POWELL.—September 29, at private hospital, Paddington, Mary Jane, dearly beloved wife of Sydney Powell, aged 66 years.

RANKEN.—October 11, at his residence, Wegroona, Adolph-street, Neutral Bay, James Australia Ranken, formerly of Saltram, Bathurst, aged 84 years.

REID.—October 5, 1909, at her late residence, Whevcar, Commodore-street, Newtown, Alice (Doris), beloved wife of Claude Lorraine Reid, and only daughter of the late Frederick J. Thompson, aged 21. "Thy will be done."

ROBINS.—August 11, 1909, Mary, the dearly beloved wife of W. H. Robins, of Laverton, Western Australia, who died on S.S. Yongala, near Albany. Buried in Albany.

STEWARD.—October 11, 1909, at 4 Carlton-crescent, Summer Hill, the beloved daughter of Will and Clara Steward, aged 10 days.

SUTTON.—October 8, at his residence, Book Arcade, Liverpool-street, Scone, Joseph Rowland, dearly beloved husband of Clara Sutton, eldest son of R. T. Sutton, Wharf-road, Gladesville, eldest grandson of the late Joseph Dole, of Sydney, age 39 years. At rest.

VALE.—October 5, at Mudgee, Mary Vale, dearly beloved wife of Maurice Vale, aged 43 years. R.I.P.

WILD.—October 11, 1909, at Randwick, Eva Jane, beloved wife of Thomas J. Wild, aged 34 years.

IN MEMORIAM.

CLARKE.—In memory of our dearly loved daughter, Jessie Edith, aged 26, who passed away October 12, 1906.
That kindly light will ever lead us on
Where angel-faces smile in endless day.
Inserted by her mother and brother, E. and L. Dawsey.

LLOYD.—A sincere tribute of love to the memory of my dear brother, George Edwin Lloyd, who departed this life October 12, 1907, aged 69 years.
Sleep on, dear brother, and take thy rest;
I miss you most, who loved you best.
Inserted by his loving sister, E. A. Lloyd.

PATERSON.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Susan, who departed this life October 12, 1900. Inserted by her loving husband and family.

ROBERTSON.—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, who departed this life October 12, 1905. Sadly missed. Inserted by his sorrowing wife and sons, Mary, Charles and Alexander Robertson, Trangie.

SHERIDAN.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, Patrick Sheridan, who was accidentally killed on October 12, 1907. Inserted by his loving wife and family. R.I.P.

TAFT.—In ever-loving memory of my dear wife, Jane, who died at her residence, A.S.N. Hotel, George-street North, on October 12, 1906. Inserted by her loving husband, Harvey Taft.
As long as life and memory last
I will remember thee.

TAFT.—In ever-loving memory of our dear mother, Jane Taft, who died on October 12th, 1906, aged 46 years.
Three years have passed, and still we miss her.
Friends may think the wound has healed.
But they little know the sorrow
Deep within our hearts concealed.
Inserted by her ever-sorrowing daughter and son-in-law, Evelyn and John Lennon.

TAFT.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear mother, Jane Taft, who died on October 12th, 1906.
However long my life shall last,
Whatever land I view,
Whatever peace or joy be mine,
I will always think of you.
Inserted by her loving daughter, Nina.

TAFT.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Jane Taft, who died on October 12th, 1906. Inserted by her loving sons, Harvey, Hiram, and Frank.
Forget her? No, we never will,
Though years roll by we'll love her still.

TAFT.—A tribute of loving remembrance to the cherished memory of our dear sister, Jane, who departed this life October 12, 1906, aged 47 years.
Not dead to us, we loved her dear;
Not lost, but gone before.
She lives with us in memory still,
And will forever more.
Inserted by her loving sisters and brothers.

VANDENBERG.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Sarah, who departed this life October 12, 1902. Inserted by her loving brothers and sister-in-law, Samuel, Herbert, and Maude.

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THE M'MYLER HOIST.

The decision of the State Government not to take action upon the report of its own commission in the matter of the M'Myler hoist at Newcastle will probably lead to friction both in the shipping centre concerned and among the interests specially affected outside. It may easily be understood that the Premier and his colleagues have been set a problem of peculiar difficulty. They have to decide whether £70,000 worth of machinery is to be scrapped, and whether they are in effect to pass a motion of censure upon the Chief Railway Commissioner. They are thus upon the horns of a dilemma. Not to use the hoist is to become involved at once in a very heavy expenditure for other appliances, because Newcastle cannot be left in the lurch. Although there has been a shrinkage in its trade of late, the future of our great coalfield is assured, and its principal port must be provided with shipping machinery of the best and latest pattern. Thus the condemnation of the new installation represents only half the burden of responsibility, and Mr. Wade has evidently shrunk from the full brunt of it. The contention, after hearing both sides, is that the M'Myler hoist is still under judgment. Advantage is taken of an admission by the commission that the harder coal of the Maitland district is not damaged by it and it is argued that more and more in future the softer coal of Newcastle will give place to the other, since it is being steadily worked out. The prosperity and value of the port will depend upon the coal which has thus been successfully shipped; and in proof that things have been better since the commission completed its inquiries, we are told that as much coal was handled by the hoist in six weeks as had been put through before in six months. "Let us wait," says the Government, "and see what the coming weeks or months bring forth, and meanwhile we will strain every nerve to settle the question of Newcastle's needs by making improvements and increasing the number of cranes."

It remains to be seen how far Newcastle will be satisfied. One reply is likely to be forthcoming at once, just as a retort was offered when the Premier decided that a certain dead-end near the Flemington saleyards must be removed. "Why," it will be asked, "have not the Railway Commissioners been willing to carry out the proposed improvements before?" One of the serious grievances at Newcastle has been the way in which the M'Myler hoist has monopolised valuable frontage. Now it is suggested that something may be done to restore a part of the access which has been blocked. The hoist itself is to be studied, and if possible improved, but here again it will be urged that such a determination is belated. The necessity of a gravity incline similar to what is now in use is to be submitted to scrutiny and decision; and the two cranes removed to make room for the hoist are to be replaced without delay. All this is, no doubt, in the right direction, but it will hardly help the Government that in supporting the Chief Railway Commissioner it is obliged to appear to be forcing upon him a line of action which should have been spontaneous. But the main difficulty is that the Government has taken sides with the Commissioner, against the commission which was appointed by itself. It is true that part of the commission went into the inquiry with a mind already made up, and that opinions were expressed before any evidence was taken against the M'Myler hoist. But it was the Government's own commission, and the latest proposals do not promise to effectively relieve a most unsatisfactory situation. They represent a compromise, we admit, and compromises are rarely acceptable to the parties most concerned. But the point is that once more the Government has stepped in to direct, or accept responsibility for, the Railway Commissioners, who should be found sufficient for the duties imposed upon them; and in the difficulties which have been created Newcastle may be excused for feeling that it is not getting fair play.

NEXT YEAR'S ELECTIONS.

The preparations for the great struggle next year are being pushed forward on both sides, and socialists and anti-socialists are beginning to get an idea of each other's strength and weakness. In Federal politics the issue has been so far defined that on present indications there is practically nothing to prevent a straight-out fight, and the strength of the opposing forces will depend rather upon generalship and the personnel of the candidates than upon the latent enthusiasm of the rank and file. That is to say, the great body of the people does not want a Government ready to try how far the Commonwealth may be taken along the road to pure socialism. State enterprise there must be; but the thing is to make the individual stronger and freer in any development of the central authority, not to cripple him by attempts to destroy capital or to turn present conditions upside down. The recent elections in Queensland are an indication, we believe, that this is true. Even the Federal Opposition recognises it; and Mr. Fisher and his friends in their hearts must acknowledge that, whatever they might have hoped from an appeal to the country had they been in power, the tide is steadily rising against them. They could only have won by keeping the other side divided. Now that the two parties are clearly separated, all hope of sweeping through the Commonwealth with a triumphant march has gone, and it becomes a question largely of strategy—with the chance of making way by superior tactics in the individual electorates. This is where the Liberal party must be specially careful. It is all very well to feel that the country is waiting to be moved, and that it will respond with a satisfactory majority for Messrs. Deakin and Cook. Such an assurance is worth a great deal, no doubt, and we do not wish in any way to minimise its importance. In a race the feeling of victory very often counts for as much as victory itself to the leading runner or rower. The inspiration of assured success is the best security for winning. But in a campaign like the present one, the Liberals have to organise victory. It is by no means in view, and although much good work is being done, everything will depend upon the way in which the individual electorates are handled.

In the first place the electorates must feel that they have selected their own candidates. Much of the weakness of the Liberal party in the last Federal elections arose from the wire-pulling which was done, and from the dissatisfaction which was felt with many of the nominations engineered or endorsed by the central executive. The lesson then set has since been learned, we hope and believe, and the various branches of the Liberal League will have no reason to object to the way in which men have been brought forward. Any failure or difficulty will come very largely from within. But there must be several important electorates in which the full strength of the leaders and organisers will have to be put forward if there is to be any hope of winning seats against the socialist machine. Everything will depend upon their getting the right candidate. It will not do to send into Labour strongholds weak or merely ambitious aspirants for a seat in the Commonwealth Parliament, or to accept local men with neither force of character nor any of the qualities of leadership. There must be a genuine prospect of meeting the socialists with some hope of victory, and this can only come when everybody concerned combines to put the right man forward. The Labour executives have their own difficulties in this respect, but they take no unnecessary risks, and when a choice is made there is determined and successful co-operation. But in the Liberal ranks organisation is freer, and the machine works less rigidly. It is this very lack of cast-iron which should be its strength, but which is too often its weakness. Let the choice of candidates everywhere, therefore, be made with a sense that failure to select the right man may lose valuable seats, and prevent even a chance of victory in otherwise accessible fields.

P. AND O. EXTENSION.

In determining to extend the range of its enterprise in this hemisphere, the P. and O. Company has come to a decision which should please everyone for some reason, and which should give scarcely anyone the least cause for regret. There are probably no men better fitted to judge of the wealth and prospects of a country than the managers and directors of such great companies as this. The passenger lists are the surest index available of the prosperity of any given year. They tell those whose business it is to study them how many men are in a position to take the acknowledged reward of successful work—a trip to England—and to what classes they belong. A summer flight of bookmakers means that backers of horses have met their customary doom at Randwick and Flemington. Shiploads of squatters with their wives are a proof of good seasons and high prices for wool. The record of many years may be looked to to establish the proposition that Australia is the paradise of doctors. The directors who have both the passenger lists and the cargo returns before them have the best possible opportunity of judging not only of the prosperity of a country in any one year, but of the prospects of its future development. Australians then as a whole should welcome this decision as a mark of confidence given by a body of men who are competent to form an opinion, and who are bound to consider the interests of their shareholders before any other.

But the people most bound to give thanks are those who will be saved the inconvenience of transshipment. We have always felt considerable sympathy with the objection expressed by New Zealanders to their isolation. The six hundred miles which divide them from Australia have more to answer for than for their refusal to join us in the federation. Being six hundred of the most turbulent miles known to travellers, they have prevented the intercourse between Australia and New Zealand from being as frequent as it should be, and not being traversed by the great mail steamers, they have prevented New Zealanders from being able to properly enjoy their stay in Sydney when passing through on their way to England. We do not suppose that the P. and O. Company, even when the new enterprise has gone beyond the experimental stage, will to any great extent interfere with the work of the existing passenger steamers. The Union Company has grown with the Australian States and New Zealand, which it has assisted to develop, and, with the Huddart, Parker line, the Union has established an unassailable position. Nor do we forget the work of the two lines of steamers which have for many years made the direct voyage from New Zealand. But the passenger lists show that a great number of New Zealanders have always preferred the route via Suez, in spite of the inconvenience of transhipment. Many do so, no doubt, because they want to save time. A long voyage has its charm for young ladies on their way home to be finished, and is often recommended to invalids suffering from nervous depression. But to men on a short holiday it is a nuisance which stands between them and the haven where they would be. The route via Suez, moreover, has the charm of variety, doubly welcome to those who find that their one grievance in Australia is the uniformity of their lives. Almost equal variety can be found on the journey through Siberia, across Canada, or South America, or through the States. But there is only one way in which variety of all kinds can be seen and enjoyed, and combined with speed. We do not imagine that any Australian will grumble at the change because slightly less work will be done in this port. Sydney has gained much in the past at the expense of towns which were formerly great distributing depots, and are now merely railway stations. She will suffer very little by the good fortune of Brisbane and New Zealand, and she can well afford it.

HOT WEATHER AND THE SURF.

The gust of heat which has given us so disagreeable a reminder that the summer is again upon us has also inclined many to the seductive call of the cool surf. The high temperatures of the week-end opened the surfing season in earnest, as the crowded beaches amply attested. That people should now swarm to the seaside as a matter of course, when the thermometer rises inconsiderately, is proof, if proof were wanted, that surf-bathing is no mere passing fad, but has taken permanent place among the habits of the people. For it is not only a fascinating form of recreation and exercise, but as a measure of health it is receiving a backing from the doctors which must commend it to many who ordinarily would not be disposed to it. The original objection to the idea of the sexes bathing together in the open has very fortunately lost most of its force in the light of the experience gained. It has been shown that where reasonable dressing accommodation is provided, and intelligent supervision exercised, there need be no mischief. What the public authorities have to concern themselves with, therefore, is the provision of these facilities. Nature has been generous to a degree in her gift of many fine beaches on Sydney's shore-front; but on not one of them—not even at Manly, where most has been done—can we say that adequate accommodation has yet been placed at the disposal of bathers. We have had reminders of that in the rush of the past few days. Very probably the local authorities will contend now, just as they have contended hitherto, that they are not justified in spending the ratepayers' money in providing elaborate accommodation for crowds of people who will expect to have the use of it free. But the sufficient answer is that the desire of crowds of people to "take the surf" has been the means of doubling—in some instances much more than doubling—the rateable value of property in the vicinity of good bathing beaches. The surf habit has caused a rush for houses and sites for houses in the beach suburbs, and thus promoted a degree of local development in the last year or two such as hitherto was not thought of. These suburbs and localities are therefore only consulting their own best interests in providing such conveniences as are an abiding inducement to bathers to become regular patrons of their beaches. Every beach of importance should offer not only adequate free accommodation, but also such other accommodation as a large class of bathers would always be only too willing to pay something for. To equip the more frequented bathing places in these respects adequately need not involve any very great outlay, and the return would be assured. The surf-bather is an asset which it is policy to keep.

State Parliament.—Private members' business will be taken in the Legislative Assembly this afternoon. When the House resumes at 7 o'clock consideration in committee of the Closer Settlement Amendment Bill will be resumed. The more contentious provisions have been disposed of, but there are still a score of clauses to run the gamut of criticism. Mr. Moore is hopeful that the consideration in committee will be finished before the House rises to-night.

Keep the Flag Flying.—When the Boy Scouts from Mosman paraded at Government House on Saturday, and were presented with a flag and entertained at tea by the Countess of Dudley, the Governor-General addressed them. He said that the scout movement might do a great deal of good if undertaken in a serious spirit, and he and the Countess of Dudley took a great interest in it. He thought it ought not to be allowed to interfere with the Commonwealth cadets. At present, as far as he could see, they were not interfering with them, and he trusted that the council of control would always follow this policy. In England the scout movement was a stronger movement than in Australia, but there was no cadet organisation in England. He thought that if boys served as scouts only during one period, if they trained on systematic methods, that training would help very much to fit them for military training as they grew older. The flag they were saluting was their flag, the flag of their nation, and it meant all in all to them. The nation would have to be prepared to uphold that flag at all times, and they could not do that successfully without being skilled in the use of arms. The scouts were laying the foundations of that preparation, and he trusted they would continue to do so with enthusiasm. His word to the Boy Scouts of Australia would always be: "Whatever you do, keep the flag flying."

Natural Resources Conference.—Encouraged by the success of the North American gathering, held early this year, the Government of the United States has invited the international Governments to be represented at a conference on natural resources, which it is proposed shall meet at the Hague. In issuing the invitation, the Department of State at Washington observes that the meeting of international representatives was suggested in order that the most competent consideration should be devoted to deciding upon a general plan for an inventory of the natural resources of the world. An invitation to send delegates reached the British Government, which decided to be represented. As it was ascertained that the invitation was intended to embrace all self-governing portions of the Empire, a communication to that effect reached the Government of New South Wales from the Colonial Office. The Premier, having ascertained that the States had been similarly communicated with, endeavoured to secure the agreement of all States to one representative attending the conference in their interests. As a result of these negotiations, it has been decided that the Agent-General for New South Wales shall represent not only his own State, but also Victoria and Tasmania. Mr. Coghlan will also represent Western Australia, in the event of an Agent-General for that State not being available at the time of meeting of the conference. South Australia and Queensland have also recognised the wisdom of being represented at the gathering, but have made other arrangements as to their respective delegates.

Chair of Aviation.—At the monthly meeting of the University Senate yesterday, a letter was received from Mr. W. T. Danks suggesting the establishment of a chair of aviation. It was resolved to inform Mr. Danks that the senate regrets it has no funds at its disposal with which it could establish such a chair.

Prosperous Railways.—The State railways must be in a good condition. At the picnic of the Metropolitan District Coaching Branch at Clifton Gardens yesterday there were many signs of it. One was the exceedingly happy tone in which the high officers and all references to them were received. Mr. Mars, metropolitan district superintendent, in answering the toast of the Commissioners and officers, said of the Chief Commissioner: "He is an English gentleman. He is a large, kind-hearted man. It is only when the necessities of the disciplinarian come upon him that some might think—well, he might have been a little more lenient. But discipline has to be maintained in all great services, and it can only be maintained by the fairness and justice of those placed over us." As for the new Commissioner, his name was cheered whenever it was mentioned. Mr. Robinson, the president of the coaching branch, said he took this first opportunity to express the men's regret at the death of Mr. Kirkcaldie, and to tender their congratulations to Mr. Harper. (Cheers.) "Not one of us gave a second thought to the matter," he said, "for we were convinced that Mr. Harper was the right man for the place." Mr. Langley, sports secretary, speaking of the fact that the day was the fifty-fourth anniversary of the opening of the railways, said that for the week ended October 2 the railway receipts had reached a record—£135,575.

The City Finances.—Speaking at the dinner of the Institute of Incorporated Accountants last night, the Lord Mayor emphasised a statement he made on another occasion recently that the finances of the city are in a perfectly sound condition. He scouted the assertion that increased rates would soon be necessary, saying that at the end of the year a handsome surplus would be shown.

The Laundry Award.—The Sisters of the Good Samaritan, the St. Magdalene's Retreat Laundry, and the Home of Hope Laundry appeared before Judge Heydon in the Industrial Court yesterday as defendants, charged with breaches of the award made in respect of the laundry business. Penalty summonses were issued in the name Mr. A. E. Dickson, chairman, "as chairman of a few employers banded together as an association." But the information was badly drawn, and the summonses were promptly dismissed with costs against the informant. In the first case the information charged that the trustees "did not pay the wages, or observe the conditions provided under the award." That, his Honor remarked, was too general and indefinite. In the case of the St. Magdalene's Retreat the information charged that the laundry entered into competition with outside laundries, contrary to the provisions of the award. "What is there in the award," Judge Heydon asked, "to prevent them washing for outside people? Nothing at all. If they do they must pay the prescribed wage. But this information simply says they entered into competition. It is just as general as the other, and must be dismissed." As to the Home of Hope Laundry, his Honor said: "The information is too general and indefinite. Instead of charging a definite and specific breach of the award it simply says they have not paid the wages, or observed the conditions. I do not see that there are any difficulties in drawing the information. There may be difficulties in proving it, but the drawing of an information to state a definite offence is not a difficult matter. Information drawn as these have been is equivalent to a man being tried before a jury 'for breaking the law.' The man is entitled to know in what respect he broke the law."

A Council's Dignity.—Up to the present time the caretakers of the Paddington Town Hall have enjoyed immunity from distinctive dress. Ever since its establishment the council has set its face strictly against anything that savoured of frivolity. Indeed, when under the then new Local Government measure, which vested councils with greater authority and powers than they had hitherto enjoyed, kindred bodies were discussing the correct cut of the mayoral robes, Paddington scorned any such suggestion, and decided that the chief magistrate's office could well be administered without the aid of silk and ermine. Things have changed, however, and last night a spirited discussion took place as to whether the caretaker should wear only a cap or a complete uniform which would harmonise with the decorative scheme of the main ballroom. The time had arrived when the importance of Paddington as a municipality and the hall as one of the most favoured social rendezvous, demanded the innovation. The caretaker must be clothed cap-a-pie in the regalia of his office. There were some aldermen, though, who regarded the matter with an unsympathetic eye. They argued that the council's dignity would not be best conserved if, as might easily happen on a hot summer's night, the caretaker yearned for a lemonade. How would it look, they asked, if people passing in trams were to point him out and say "There goes Paddington's caretaker!" The votes went in favour of the suggestion.

Trams to the Seaside.—Mr. T. W. Henderson writes, suggesting that a more efficient tram service should be provided for the different seaside resorts on warm days, similar to Sunday last. He states that the Coogee trams on Sunday were very much overcrowded, and people were standing and holding on at all points. He considers that as the department can cope with large crowds travelling to a Randwick race meeting they should also be able to meet any rush to the seaside on a hot day. The writer also draws attention to the fact that many cars were kept waiting 10 minutes at Coogee on the return journey after they had been filled with passengers. He thinks that as soon as a tram is filled it should be despatched, so as to allow it to get back quickly for another load. It would, he states, only require one responsible officer at Coogee, with power to start trams when fully loaded, and another at Sydney Railway Station, near the loop, Central-square. The writer suggests that the department should keep in touch with the Observatory, and that preparations should be made for increased traffic to the seaside which follows a rise in the temperature. He also suggests that the running of cars direct from the outlying suburbs to Bondi and Coogee should be repeated.

"Lo, Here the Gentle Lark."—Although the ear is assailed throughout the livelong day at Randwick with the monotonous roar of musketry, those "keener of hearing" and sight" are charmed with a gladsome caroling, which even the rifles cannot silence. When the first rosy tints presage the coming dawn, the larks soar heavenward, filling the new-born day with songs of thanksgiving. The feathered songsters mount higher and higher till vision fails, and only the chirruping chorus proclaim their presence. There is a little nest on the range just near the press tent. So cunningly is it fashioned that thousands have passed and repassed all unconscious of its presence. It has three eggs in it, tiny brown speckled things, just the colour of the surrounding herbage. But several youngsters have stumbled across the treasure. Threats of dire punishment are hardly likely to prove efficacious, and soon, alas, the eggs will be pierced and blown to dangle ingloriously on the end of a string, instead of swelling the glad chorus of aerial minstrelsy.

A Council's Law Suit.—The Lord Mayor stated last night that he felt so strongly about the recent case in which the Mayor of Liverpool had been called upon to foot a bill of about £400 for costs that he felt it his duty at the earliest possible moment to see whether he could not raise contributions amongst those gentlemen governing under municipal or local control, or elsewhere, to contribute to meet it. He hoped the country would respond.

"Where's Brown?"—Mr. Robinson, the chairman, having called on Mr. Smith to speak at the annual picnic of the coaching branch of the railways yesterday, said that in common propriety there was only one thing for him to do. He didn't see how he could very well help calling on Mr. Jones. Mr. Jones, rather taken by surprise, jumped to his feet. "Where's Brown?" he asked.

The New South Wales Federal Liberal League has issued a pamphlet, "Politics and Business Men," designed to create interest in the next elections. The league declares that "it the forces of commerce and industry are not going to be undermined and dissipated, those who engage in them must either become politicians themselves or take a wider and deeper interest in encouraging and backing up the right-thinking politicians."

We are asked to draw attention to the advertisement of Messrs. Lindeman, Ltd., in reference to Cawarra wines.

TO-DAY.

Manly Band: Prince Alfred Park, 8.
Theatre Royal: "The Flag Lieutenant," 8.
Criterion Theatre: "The Taming of the Shrew," 8.
Her Majesty's: "The King of Cadonia," 7.30.
Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 7.30.
Palace: "Married to the Wrong Man," 8.
National Amphitheatre: Vaudeville, 7.45.
Clay's Vaudeville: Town Hall, Balmain, 8.
Zoological Gardens and Aquarium: 10.
Bijou Theatre: Moving Pictures, 8.
Exhibition Building: Roller Skating, 2.30, 7.30.
Spencer's Theatrescope: Lyceum, 8.
Glaciarium: West's Moving Pictures, 8.
Fairyland Trip: No. 7 Jetty, Circular Quay, 10, 1.30.
Tourist Harbour Trip: Fort Macquarie, 10.
Unitarian Church, Hyde Park: Readings, 8.
Temperance Day: Adventist Camp, Glebe Park, 3.
Deaconess' Institute Sale: Y.W.C.A., 3.
St. George Choral Union: Rockdale, 8.

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Chelmsford entertained the following members of the A.J.C. committee at dinner at State Government House last evening:—Mr. Adrian Knox, the Hon. H. C. Dangar, the Hon. G. Lee, Dr. Ewan Frazer, Mr. H. Chisholm, Mr. E. M. Betts, Mr. A. Hooke, Mr. T. S. Clibborn. The following were unavoidably prevented from accepting the Governor and Lady Chelmsford's invitation:—Mr. Walter Hall, Mr. R. C. Allen, Mr. J. M'Donald.

Mr. Otto William Ballhausen, who was Deputy Registrar under the New South Wales Old-Age Pensions Act, will succeed Mr. Clegg as Deputy Commissioner under the Commonwealth Old-Age Pensions Act. The change will take effect on Monday next, when Mr. Clegg, who was recently appointed a police magistrate, will take up the duties at the Pensions Department which have recently been performed by Mr. W. M. Macfarlane, S.M.

A conversazione was held last night at the Mosman Town Hall by the ladies of Mosman, for the purpose of formally welcoming Dr. Richard Arthur, M.L.A., on his return from Europe. The arrangements were in the hands of a committee, of which Mrs. W. H. Moseley was president, Mrs. H. R. Curlewis hon. treasurer, and Mesdames P. Leahy and W. E. Wilson joint hon. secretaries. Reference was made to the work done by Dr. Arthur in the interests of the electorate, and Dr. Arthur replied.

Our Suva correspondent cables that the death has occurred at Suva of the Rev. W. Floyd, incumbent of the Church of the Redeemer (Church of England), at Levuka. The body will be conveyed for interment at Levuka.

CLERGYMAN'S SUDDEN DEATH.

WHILE CONDUCTING SERVICE.

The Rev. Charles E. Amos, Church of England Chaplain at Darlinghurst Gaol, died very suddenly on Sunday evening while conducting a service at the school-hall, Longueville. Pending the completion of arrangements for the building of a church at Longueville, services have been held in the school hall, and in turn conducted by the Rev. C. E. Amos and the Rev. Hall Best (rector of St. Giles', Greenwich). The service had all but concluded—in fact, Mr. Amos was just about to pronounce the benediction—when he was noticed to sway and fall. Willing hands went to his assistance, but he died in their arms after having feebly said, "I think I have done too much to-day." The reverend gentleman was 68 years of age, and had apparently over-exerted himself, having during the day conducted two services at Darlinghurst Gaol. He was carried to his home, Mangalah, Stuart-street, Longueville, where life was pronounced extinct by Drs. Lloyd and Benjafield. The deceased, for a period of a quarter of a century, had been in the active service of the Church in various portions of the State, prior to which he was in Queensland. Perhaps he will be best remembered as organising secretary of the Sydney Board of Missions, 1891-92, and as rector of St. Matthew's Church, Botany.

The death of the reverend gentleman was referred to by Judge Backhouse at the Quarter Sessions yesterday. His Honor, in expressing his regret, said Mr. Amos had done excellent work at Darlinghurst, and he was sure his loss would be felt very much. "His sudden end," he added, "was in keeping with his long and valued career. He died in the midst of his work, and was constant in his commendable labours to the last."

The Crown Prosecutor, Mr. Herbert Harris, said no man did more useful work than Mr. Amos in imparting religious consolation to those who wanted it most. His fight was a fight for humanity; he died a true soldier of the Church.

A. K. FARRAR MEMORIAL.

At a meeting of the Sydney Grammar School Old Boys' Union it was decided to raise a fund in memory of the late Arthur Key Farrar, for 30 years master of the school. It was felt that a man who, by his personality and genial temperament, had endeared himself to so many boys in their passage through the school should be commemorated by the establishment of some permanent memorial. Messrs. R. H. Bode and T. P. Strickland were appointed joint honorary secretaries and treasurers of the fund, and any subscriptions addressed to them at the Sydney Grammar School will be applied to that object. Several suggestions have been made, and the committee of the Old Boys' Union will decide which shall be adopted, when it has been ascertained what funds are available.

THE POTATO BLIGHT.

MR PERRY'S "SCANDALOUS" ACTION.

"AN HONOURABLE AGREEMENT."

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Mr. Graham, Minister for Agriculture, stated to-day that the action of Mr. Perry, Minister for Agriculture in New South Wales, in continuing the prohibition of the importation of Victorian potatoes after signing the interstate conference agreement, was scandalous. He said that until New South Wales removed the prohibition against Victorian potatoes Victoria would have to continue the embargo against Tasmanian potatoes. In view of the fact that Irish blight had been discovered in the three States, there was no reason why trade between the States should not be allowed, so long as the conditions laid down at the interstate conference were observed.

"The thing is a howling farce," Mr. Graham continued. "We had an honourable agreement between the States at the recent conference, and Victoria has carried out all the conditions under that agreement. Yet the New South Wales authorities are delaying the observance of the compact, and the withdrawal of the prohibition until their growers can get their early potatoes dug and placed on the market. Mr. Lee, one member of the New South Wales Cabinet, was at least honest recently when he said he would refuse to build a railway because it would benefit Victoria, and if Mr. Perry, the Minister for Agriculture, would say that he was keeping up the prohibition order so as to shut out Victorian potatoes until the New South Wales early potatoes could be got on the market, we should know where we stood. Instead of that, he says he is just considering whether the prohibition can with safety be removed. Mr. Perry deliberately signed the agreement between the States, and now he has 'reneged.' In the meantime, of course, New South Wales potatoes are being dug and hurried on to the market. There is 50 times as much Irish blight in New South Wales as in Victoria. The place is stinking with it. We have tested the different potato districts of Victoria, and we know the only place where Irish blight has broken out. That district has been quarantined; though there are only 111 tons of potatoes in it. Yes, the New South Wales' authorities are considering the question of removing the prohibition from Victorian potatoes. Mr. Perry has been considering it for a long time. Now the Premier (Mr. Wade) says he is considering it, and in the meantime our potatoes, guaranteed by us to be absolutely clean, are being kept out, and New South Wales' growers are reaping the harvest. What is the good of an agreement if it is deliberately broken?"

MR. GRAHAM'S "LITTLENESS."

RETALIATION ON TASMANIA.

HOBART, Monday.

The "Mercury," commenting on Mr. Graham's statement regarding the potato regulations, says: "The position taken up by the Victorian Minister for Agriculture in regard to the potato trade is most remarkable. Because New South Wales is not carrying out the agreement with Victoria, the latter State will not remove the prohibition against Tasmanian potatoes. Mr. Graham, on behalf of Victoria, is taking up a position worthy only of a very feeble-minded child. Because a big boy has hit him and he cannot retaliate, he picks on one smaller than himself, and gives him a thrashing. This is neither business nor common sense."

A FREAK FOAL.

MUDGEE, Monday.

A mare at Cooyal, 15 miles from Mudgee, has given birth to a foal with six legs. The extra legs branch from the knee near the foreleg, and are perfectly formed, with hoof complete.

A correspondent, writing with reference to the American mails, complains that the postal authorities in Sydney omitted to intimate that letters via San Francisco would be despatched by the Manuka, which left for Wellington (N.Z.) on Saturday last.

The total amount received in Sydney last week in stamp duty in respect of probate and letters of administration was £4818 18s 10d. Of this total £1072 10s was paid in regard to the N.S.W. estate of the late Elizabeth Lloyd Kennard, of Queensland, which was valued at £21,450; and £1341 18s in regard to the estate of the late William Irwin John Crain, of Binnmore, which was valued at £24,850.

HONOURING THE BRAVE.

A CITIZENS' RECOGNITION.

At a meeting of subscribers held last night at the North Sydney Town Hall, the Mayor (Alderman A. G. Milson) presented Senior-constable Gates, of the North Sydney police force, with a purse of sovereigns and an illuminated address from the citizens of North Sydney as a public recognition of the bravery displayed by him on the occasion of the arrest of the burglar Crook on April 1 last.

It will be remembered that Crook entered the dwelling-house of Mr. Russell Sinclair, Carabella-street, during the early hours of April 1, and when that gentleman endeavoured to secure him shot Mr. Sinclair and seriously wounded him. The police were informed, and amongst those detailed to secure the criminal was Senior-constable Gates, who, after noticing the suspicious movements of Crook, succeeded after a desperate struggle, in which he was severely handled, in effecting the arrest.

Last night there was a good attendance, which included the Inspector-General of Police (Mr. T. Garvin), Superintendent Sherwood, Mr. Russell Sinclair, and many prominent residents.

The Mayor, on behalf of the citizens of North Sydney, handed Senior-constable Gates a purse of 100 sovereigns and an address handsomely illuminated on vellum expressing the public sense of appreciation of the recipient's gallantry on the occasion of the arrest of Crook.

The Inspector-General said that he was very pleased at being present at that meeting, called to do honour to Senior-constable Gates, and to substantially recognise the efficiency displayed in the capture of the criminal Crook. He thought that Senior-constable Gates had proved his adaptability for the position, for had he not observed Crook on the steamer the criminal would have succeeded in reaching the city, where the chances of arrest would have been remote, and the man would probably have got away. It was a very difficult thing to trace a man on the description given by people not in the habit of describing individuals. Therefore it was particularly fortunate that Gates happened to be in the neighbourhood, and that he succeeded in effecting the capture after a manly and determined fight. His pluck was deserving of the very highest credit, and he was glad to see Gates looking so well after so murderous an attack. He looked upon Senior-constable Gates as a credit to the force, and if he continued to act as he had already done they would soon see him holding a much higher position in the service. (Applause.)

Mr. Russell Sinclair took the opportunity of publicly congratulating Gates on his capture, which was particularly courageous, as Gates had seen how desperate a criminal Crook was, because he (Mr. Sinclair) was lying wounded when Gates first appeared upon the scene. His conduct should be an example to his comrades, and really it lay at the bottom of that testimonial. The residents of North Sydney fully appreciated what he had had done, and he was sure the whole of the residents would have slept uncomfortably for months had Crook still been at large. It was only owing to the prompt and courageous action of Gates that he was captured, and the community enjoyed a sense of security. (Applause.)

Senior-constable Gates, who was well received, thanked them for their handsome testimonial, and added that he hardly considered himself deserving of all that had been said, as he was sure any of his comrades, under similar circumstances, would have acted in the same way. He was pleased to know that his action was appreciated, and he concluded by saying that under similar circumstances he would be always found acting in the same manner. (Cheers.)

The Mayor then presented Mr. Icelia, who assisted Gates in the ultimate capture of Crook, with a purse of five sovereigns, and announced that a similar sum would be given to Mr. Lee, who also went to the constable's assistance, when he returned to the State.

IMPRESSIONS OF ENGLAND.

A meeting of the council of the Liberal and Reform League was held last night. After the ordinary business was transacted Sir James Graham delivered an address dealing with his impressions of his recent visit to England. He first adverted to the distance between London and Australia, merely referring to its advantages and disadvantages, and the risk of making us an insular and self-contained people. As to Australia in London, he said:—"There is nothing as attractive as the display in the window at the Information Bureau at Martin-place. Certainly some advance has been made from the time when we were content with an office in Victoria-street, Westminster, where the Commonwealth Offices at the present time are situated. The question of how best to represent Australia in Europe is becoming a very important one, and it is by no means free from difficulty. The Australian States are too big, too sparsely populated, and too little developed to be slumped together into one whole department, and that condition is likely to remain for many years to come. A High Commissioner, like Lord Strathcona, who represents Canada, is only in evidence at a public meeting or banquet, and probably at the inner councils of the nation in matters affecting colonial and Imperial interests. It would be better if it could be arranged to have the State departments nearer to each other. As they are now they are far apart—at Westminster, the Strand, Cannon-street, and Minchin-lane. Our Agent-General's office is a hive of activity, where there is a constant stream of callers on all kinds of business in connection with New South Wales. It is, moreover, a centre where visitors from this State naturally make for, and where they can get the assistance of the Government's agents in all matters affecting their business or personal interests. New South Wales, well and vigorously represented in London, is an invaluable agency for the progress of the State. If the Government finds itself unable to keep pace, under the closer settlement policy, with the demand for farms," Sir James said it had always appeared to him that there was a great opening for private enterprise among the owners of large estates in placing them in a subdivided form in the European market. The Government might be asked to give its sanction to the manner in which such lands were described and advertised, and otherwise guarantee their bona-fides. It had to be borne in mind that the great streams of emigration to Canada had been largely promoted by the Canadian-Pacific Railway Company, who were granted as a concession, when they undertook the building of the great trunk railway from the Atlantic to the Pacific, every alternate 20 miles of country. These lands were now being peopled with the emigrants. It was clearly of little value preaching a vigorous policy of emigration until they could evolve a scheme of land settlement that would absorb the immigrant. It was far better to hasten slowly until we can.

ROMAN CATHOLIC REFORMATORY.

ARCHBISHOP INDIGNANT.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Adelaide has had correspondence with the State Children's Council regarding the Fullarton Refuge and the Kapunda Girls' Reformatory. Regarding the refuge, the Archbishop says that "if officialdom will insist in hampering them by busybody intermeddling, the sisters think it best to cease from striving, and let officialdom do the work in its own way." He had refused permission to the council's woman inspector to enter the building. The Archbishop has agreed to hand over the Kapunda Girls' Reformatory for £1000, the amount of the debt remaining on the building. The State Children's Council allege "that a priest was residing at the reformatory, and his mental condition was, to say the least, unstable, while his physical frame was powerful." The Archbishop denied that the priest's form was powerful, but admitted that mentally he was not robust. He considered, however, that he could do all the work required at the reformatory.

HEAVY LOSS OF SHEEP.

LIGHTNING SUPPOSED CAUSE.

BOURKE, Monday.

On Friday night during a heavy storm a flock of 5000 sheep travelling from Tooralie to Rockley, Mr. J. M'Intosh owner, were camped near North Bourke. Three hundred and forty were found dead in the morning. Lightning is supposed to be the cause.

CYCLONE AT OBERON.

OBERON, Monday.

A violent cyclonic storm occurred here last night. In its course many sheds and outbuildings were unroofed or blown down, and a brick chimney of a dwelling was levelled. Large trees were uprooted, and much damage has resulted to fences. Sixty-one points of rain were recorded.

SCARCITY OF MINE LABOUR.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

The scarcity of men for mining work is commencing to be felt more acutely. Mr. W. E. Wainwright, general manager of the South mine, stated to-day that there is a noticeable scarcity of good mechanics, particularly carpenters, and much of the mine work is being delayed in consequence.

M'MYLER FINDINGS.

THE GOVERNMENT POLICY.

HOIST NOT TO BE DISMANTLED.

MOVABLE CRANES TOO COSTLY.

OTHER CRANES TO BE ERECTED.

After having given the report of the Royal Commission on the M'Myler hoist full consideration, in conjunction with the reply thereto by the Chief Commissioner for Railways, the Government has propounded its policy for Newcastle. It is not one that is based upon the findings of the commission. Rather to the contrary. An independent scheme has been decided upon. But further tests are to be made, and meanwhile two additional cranes will be erected to replace those which were removed to make room for the hoist. Mr. Wade put the position in the following statement, made at the conclusion of yesterday's Cabinet meeting:—"The Government has considered the question, and dealt with both the report of the commission and Mr. Johnson's reply, and has decided, under all the circumstances, that it would be premature and unwise to dismantle the hoist without further testing its capability, for the following reasons:—

"1. The commission acknowledged in the report that the use of the hoist does not damage for commercial purposes the harder coals from the Maitland district. And in this connection it must be borne in mind that Newcastle, the home of soft coal, is being worked out, whilst Maitland, the home of the hard coal, is becoming more extensively worked every year. The bulk of the trade in the future may therefore be expected to be the hard coal.

"2. It appears that as soon as the commission terminated its sittings in Newcastle the hoist was largely made use of; indeed, in six weeks as much coal was loaded by this method as had been dealt with by the hoist during the period of six months prior to the opening of the commission.

"3. The Chief Commissioner for Railways states that many of the objections which were found to exist to the hoist at the time of the inquiry can be remedied.

"4. Dismantling at once means throwing away something like £70,000.

"Until, therefore, the utility of the hoist, or its suitability is more definitely determined, it has been decided to postpone decision as the larger question as to the best loading appliances for the port of Newcastle. The commission recommended movable cranes, with higher capacity. This would involve a very heavy outlay. Such a step should not be taken until the position is thoroughly assured. However, as soon as a definite opinion can be formed as to the extent to which the hoist can be used, the larger question will then be considered.

"In the meantime, attention will be specially directed towards ascertaining whether time or labour can be saved in the use of the hoist to a greater extent than had been shown in the past. One important matter that has to be determined likewise is the necessity for a gravity incline of the dimensions now in use in connection with the hoist, and, further, the practicability of allowing access to the wharf frontages, which is now cut off by the embankment leading to the hoist.

"It has also been decided that the two cranes which have been removed for the purpose of providing space for the erection of the M'Myler hoist should be replaced without delay with cranes of a greater capacity and higher power. The character of these cranes and the site for them will be reported upon by the authorities. Information is expected in the course of the week."

Parliament is to be given an opportunity of discussing the report of the Royal Commission, together with Mr. Johnson's reply. Members will also be at liberty to criticise the Government action.

FEDERAL QUARANTINE.

DELAY AT WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

It is probable that Dr. Norris, Federal Director of Quarantine, will leave Melbourne this week to inquire into the alleged delay to mail steamers caused by the operation of the Federal quarantine regulations.

COMMERCE DELEGATES.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Monday.

The commerce delegates arrived at Bluff and were welcomed on behalf of the Government. Nineteen have gone for a trip to the cold lakes district. The others proceeded to Dunedin and Christchurch.

BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

An open-air meeting which was held in Argent-street on Saturday night carried a resolution in favour of again asking Mr. Lee, Minister for Works, to at once have the question of additional water supply for the Hill referred to the Public Works Committee. Messrs. Cann and Griffith, Ms.L.A., were among the speakers.

THE WAITEMATA'S CREW.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Monday.

At the Magistrates' Court, David Maxwell claimed £25 from the Union Company, alleging wrongful dismissal from the Waitemata, at Newcastle. On the application of the Company's counsel the case was adjourned, to come before the Supreme Court.

QUEENSLAND ELECTIONS.

BRISBANE, Monday.

The polls declared to-day were:—Toowong: Cottell 2471, Warmington 2090. Bulimba: Barnes 2666, Collings 1609.

The following later figures were received for Mitchell:—Payne, 1096; Cannon, 626.

CAPTAIN OF THE RIVER CLYDE.

SUDDEN DEATH AT NEWCASTLE.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

Captain Alfred J. A. Mann, master of the steamer River Clyde, died suddenly whilst being taken to the Newcastle Hospital this afternoon. The matter was reported to the police. Dr. Eames was called in to see him on Saturday, and to-day ordered his removal to the hospital. On the way there in the cab he died. The late Captain Mann was 58 years of age, and leaves a widow and family, who reside near Glasgow, Scotland.

HETTON COLLIERY.

RESUMES WORK.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

After a period of many weeks' idleness the Hetton colliery resumed work to-day. The stoppage of work was caused by the fact that the mine was considered unsafe owing to the proximity of the workings of the old Stockton mine, from which there was a possibility of an inrush of water. The question of securing the safety of the Hetton colliery was submitted by the Mines Department and the proprietors to a board, on whose recommendation some concrete and brick work has been carried out below as a barrier between the two mines. The department has intimated that the work, which is now completed, makes the mine perfectly safe, and colliery operations are now being carried on as usual.

BATHURST DISTRICT PROSPECTS.

SPLENDID HARVEST ANTICIPATED.

BATHURST, Monday.

The coming harvest promises to be a record. Crops and grass are growing wonderfully well all round. Speaking generally of the prospects of the Bathurst district an experienced farmer declares that 1889 was the only year he remembered seeing the district looking so well as it did at the present time. Fruit crops also promise to yield well. The recent rains have crowned the country, and there are promises of good returns everywhere.

LOST IN THE BUSH.

WINGHAM, Monday.

Ernest Anderson, residing with John Wallis, of the Bulga, went shooting on Saturday afternoon. At 6 o'clock on Sunday morning he had not returned. The country is dense brush, and fears are entertained for his safety, as he is a comparative stranger in the locality. A search party is now seeking for him.

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CANADIAN NAVY.

LOANS DEPRECATED.

LOCAL BUILDING ADVOCATED.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

The "Montreal Gazette," writing on the subject of a navy for Canada, doubts the wisdom of charging £4,000,000 to capital. It would be better if taxes were depended upon to meet the cost of the navy. Then the Canadian people would see what doing their duty means.

The "Ottawa Free Press" strongly favours the proposition that the vessels of the navy should be built in Canada, and advocates that if necessary skilled labour should be brought from Great Britain for the purpose.

The "Canadian Mail," which is Conservative, says that both parties will unite in perfecting the proposals of the Government.

POOR DOCKING FACILITIES.

HARLAND AND WOLFF'S REPORT.

HIGH INSURANCE RATES.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

The representative of Harland and Wolff, shipbuilders, of Belfast, spent two months prospecting in the St. Lawrence River for a site for a dock suitable for White Star liners of 14,000 tons. At present if an accident happens to a vessel on the Canadian coast she will possibly become a total wreck, because it is impossible to patch her sufficiently to steam to New York.

Harland and Wolff state that they do not contemplate an extension of shipbuilding to Canada at present, but that the many casualties which have occurred off the Canadian coast recently have raised the insurance rates to a very high figure.

COLONIAL OFFICE DELEGATES.

IMPRESSIONS OF THE TOUR.

CO-OPERATION OF DOMINIONS.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

Sir Charles Prestwood Lucas, Assistant Under-Secretary for the Colonies, and Mr. A. A. Pearson, have returned home after their tour of Australia and New Zealand.

In the course of an interview Sir C. Lucas said that he was greatly struck by the obvious desire of the Governments and the peoples of Australia and New Zealand to co-operate with the mother country in matters of common interest, and with their great resources, which would make their co-operation of constantly growing value.

Sir C. Lucas said he hoped that his and Mr. Pearson's visit would be the forerunner of other tours by officials of the Colonial Office.

SOCIALIST OUTRAGE.

BOMB EXPLOSION IN SWEDEN.

SENT THROUGH THE POST.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

The Young Socialist party of Sweden, desiring revenge on account of the failure of the general strike, sent bombs through the post at Stockholm to Mr. Hammar, manager of the Swedish Export Association, and Mr. Sjoholm, a well-known manufacturer of Gothenburg.

The bomb sent to Mr. Hammar exploded, and three of his fingers were blown off. The bomb sent to Mr. Sjoholm missed fire.

The Young Socialist party threatens other employers.

BERMONDSEY ELECTION.

SEARCHING FOR CANDIDATES.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

For the election at Bermondsey socialists have selected Dr. Salter.

Conservatives and Liberals are seeking candidates.

The Conservative party will probably arrange that a transfer for the general election shall be sent to Mr. Assheton-Pownall, who is in Australia, and who was to contest the electorate.

INDIA OFFICE.

NEW UNDER-SECRETARY.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

Sir Arthur Godley, Permanent Under-Secretary for India, has resigned. He is succeeded by Sir Richmond Ritchie, head of the Political and Secret Department of the office. Mr. F. A. Hertzel, a senior clerk in the department, succeeds Sir Richmond Ritchie.

Sir Arthur Godley, G.C.B., is an Irishman, and retired in his 63rd year. He has been Under-Secretary for India since 1883. He was private secretary to Mr. W. E. Gladstone from 1872 to 1874, and from 1880 to 1882, and then became a Commissioner of Inland Revenue, retaining the position for a year, when he was transferred to the India Department.

Sir Richmond Ritchie has been secretary of the political department of the India Office since 1902. He is the son of a former member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, and entered the office by open competition in 1877. He was created a K.C.B. in 1907. Lady Ritchie is the eldest daughter of W. M. Thackeray, and is the author of well-known stories and memoirs.

DISCOVERY OF NAPHTHA.

AFIRE IN CAUCASIA.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

A sensational discovery of naphtha was made in Kuban, in North Caucasia, near the terminus of the railway from Tuapse to Armavir, which is being built by British capital.

After the discovery the ignorance of the workmen resulted in a fire, which took 200 men ten days to extinguish. Naphtha of the value of £2,000,000 was destroyed.

IMPERIAL MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

YORKSHIRE SINGER'S TOUR.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

Dr. Harriss, of Ottawa, has sailed in the Aorangi in connection with the Imperial Musical Festival in 1911, which will include a tour of 200 Yorkshire singers round the world, during which Australia and New Zealand will be visited.

The London papers have published fully the details of this scheme, under which Dr. Harriss was to start from Liverpool or Glasgow upon his world's tour on March 18, 1911. He intends to remain 40 days in Canada, a brief season in Australia, and 21 days in South Africa. His choir was to sing at more than 50 different cities, and was to reach England again on September 15, 1911, after a tour involving an expenditure of £50,000. In all great centres from six to eight concerts were to be given with local orchestras on a festival scale.

FRENCH SOCIAL POLICY.

LABOUR-CAPITAL CONFLICT.

PROFIT SHARING A SOLUTION.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

M. Briand, Premier of France, speaking at Perigueux on Sunday, announced the introduction of a bill to pension female workers and peasant women when they became aged.

Associations of capital and labour, M. Briand said, raised new problems. Trade unions had no more right than individuals to impose their will to the detriment of the community. He did not believe that the conflict of capital and labour was bound to be eternal. He looked to some form of profit sharing to provide the solution of the problem.

M. Briand debated the desirability of maintaining or abolishing scrutin d'arrondissement, which was valuable while the Republic was establishing itself, but which had latterly developed narrowing and excessively local influences. The Republican party must free itself from parochial interests.

The Ministry, M. Briand announced, would not remain in office if beset by petty intrigues.

There are in France two famous cases of labour co-partnership. The first is that of Godin iron foundry, at Guise, where full co-partnership came into operation in 1880. The workers are divided into auxiliaries, participants, societaires, and associates. The auxiliaries include all new hands and the temporary employees. They benefit only to the extent of insurance against illness and accident, and under certain conditions may receive a pension. The participants receive a share in the profits, proportional to their wages. The societaires also receive a share proportionate to their wages, but in their case the share is 50 per cent. higher than in the case of the participants. The highest class, the associates, are alone in the position of true co-partners. They also receive a share in the profits proportionate to their wages, but the share is double what would be received by a participant at the same wage. The workers move from one class to another by seniority. The government of the society is ultimately vested altogether in the associates. The second noted instance is that of the "Maison Leclaire."

Scrutin d'arrondissement is merely election by single-member constituencies. Each administrative arrondissement in the departments and each municipal arrondissement in Paris choose one deputy, except when the arrondissement has a population of over 100,000, when it is divided into two single-member constituencies, or into three when the population exceeds 200,000, and so on. Under scrutin-de-liste the department is the electoral unit, each having its complement of deputies allotted to it in proportion to its population, and each elector having as many votes as there are seats ascribed to his department, without, however, the power to cumulate. As to the relative merits of the two systems, a choice of which M. Briand is now hesitating to make, "M. Gambetta and his followers predicted" (writes Mr. J. E. C. Bodley, in "France"), "that scrutin-de-liste would produce a race of legislators apt to treat great questions with statesmanlike grasp, unlike the delegates of the single-member divisions, fit only to protect local interest and imbued with the 'esprit de clocher.' Whether that spirit which hovers around the village steeples is less desirable than that which is generated in the Palais Bourbon need not be discussed, but whatever the theoretical beauties of scrutin-de-liste there is no doubt that under Parliamentary government when the plebiscitary spirit is abroad it is a more formidable instrument in the hands of a would-be dictator than the system of single-member divisions. Under the latter, even if multiple candidatures be permitted, the return of a popular hero by electorates in every region of the land is only a manifestation which without revolution can have no immediate consequence. The idol thus acclaimed can sit for but one constituency, and the others have to make a second choice among his minor adherents; whereas under scrutin-de-liste the result is more striking and of immediate constitutional effect."

FRENCH FLYING CARNIVAL.

TRAIN SERVICE BREAKS DOWN.

CROWDS WRECK A STATION.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

A flying carnival, which will extend over a fortnight, is proceeding at Juvisy, 14 miles from Paris. M. Latham, M. Paulhan, and other aviators, have made flights.

Yesterday there were 250,000 people present. The crowds were so great that the train service broke down. Twenty thousand people stormed the station at Juvisy, tore the cushions, and broke windows and seats.

Thirty thousand people were still encamped along the line at midnight.

CAPTURED MOORISH PRETENDER.

DEVOURED BY LIONS.

THE SULTAN WATCHES.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The Fez correspondent of the "Daily Mail" says that Bu-hamara, the pretender to the throne in Morocco, who was captured by the Sultan, Mulai Hafid, was not shot, but that his feet were chained, and he was then thrown into a garden where there were three starved lions.

He tried to climb a tree, but a lioness tore off the left arm of the victim.

Some soldiers then stabbed him in the breast a dozen times.

The lions, on returning, toyed with the body as cats toy with a mouse.

The Sultan and members of the court watched the scene from the windows of the palace.

SEARCH FOR THE WARATAH.

TRAWLER UNSUCCESSFUL.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

A trawler, which was sent in August to the Marion Island, in lat. 46d. 33m., and long. 38d. 20m. E. with food supplies for the sealers there, has returned to Durban. She reports exceptionally stormy weather. Despite a vigilant lookout, she saw neither the Waratah nor the Sabine, which is searching for the Waratah.

MESOPOTAMIA IRRIGATION.

SIR WILLIAM WILLCOCK'S SCHEME.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

Sir William Willcocks, an eminent engineer, who was requested by the Turkish Government to report on the possibilities of irrigation works in Mesopotamia, has returned to Constantinople and has submitted results of his survey.

Young Turk officials realise the importance of his work, and are resolved to further his scheme.

The surveys made by Sir William Willcocks extended from Hit on the Euphrates, westwards beyond the Tigris, towards the Persian frontier, and from Samaria southwards to Diwanieh. Ruins of gigantic old irrigation canals were constantly met.

A DESTROYER STRANDED.

SALVAGE DIFFICULT.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

The torpedo boat destroyer Lee, 385 tons, stranded in a fog near Blacksod Bay, Ireland. Conditions of salvage are difficult.

MOROCCAN CAMPAIGN.

"ANOTHER FASHODA."

FRENCH GENERAL RETIRED.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

M. Briand, the French Premier, has placed General d'Amade, late Commander-in-Chief of the French forces in Morocco, on the retired list for stating in an interview with a representative of the Paris "Matin" that the situation for France in Morocco is extremely perilous, as the Spanish troops have already seized Nador, and would be soon forced to take Taza, which would be a Moroccan Fashoda.

General d'Amade added:—"Spanish successes in Morocco have aroused the Spanish military party, and King Alfonso does not conceal his desire to seek compensation for his lost colonial empire."

KABYLES SURRENDER.

EXHAUSTED BY WANT AND BATTLE.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

The Kabyle tribes of Nador and Barraca, in the Riff country, sent a white flag to the Spanish Commander-in-Chief.

The tribesmen state that they are utterly exhausted for want of food and by their terrible losses in battle, particularly in the battle of September 30, when they were obliged to kill their own wounded, because it was impossible to attend them.

DISORDERLY SUFFRAGISTS.

BREAKING WINDOWS.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

Four women suffragists have been sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment for breaking windows of the Liberal Club in Newcastle.

Lady Constance Lytton was arrested last night while breaking the barrier round the Palace Theatre with a hatchet, on the occasion of Mr. Lloyd-George's meeting.

LIEUTENANT SHACKLETON.

MORE HONOURS.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

Lieutenant Shackleton delivered a lecture on his Antarctic expedition under the auspices of the Danish Geographical Society, which presented him with its gold medal.

Queen Alexandra was present, and the King of Denmark conferred on Lieutenant Shackleton the commandership of the Danebrog Order.

IRISH PARLIAMENTARY PARTY.

FUNDS FROM AMERICA.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

The United Irish League in the United States has cabled to Mr. John Redmond, M.P., in reply to his appeal for funds to assist the Irish Parliamentary party, that America will respond generously.

NORTHCLIFFE PAPER MILLS.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

Lord Northcliffe's paper mills at Grand Falls, Newfoundland, have been opened. They cover an area of four acres, and cost £1,200,000.

The paper pulp factory at Grand Falls is owned by the Anglo-Newfoundland Developing Company, at the head of which is Lord Northcliffe. The company, which has been in Newfoundland for the past four years, has built works, which have now been formally opened. Pulp will be shipped to England in December. The company has erected 11 large crushing plants. The works are surrounded by a model village, with a Town Hall, library, and co-operative stores, lit by electricity, and containing a permanent population of over 2000. Up to the present the company has expended over £1,500,000 in Newfoundland. The company intends to attend to reafforestation, so that young trees will not be cut, and in 50 years the same areas can be cut over again. Another paper company is erecting plant in Newfoundland, and United States capitalists are making inquiries in that colony as to paper-making facilities. Commenting upon these facts, Sir Edward Morris, the Premier of Newfoundland, in the course of an interview, said: "I can safely say that, from an industrial standpoint, Newfoundland is at the portals of a change, and that within the next 10 years very great development is bound to take place."

QUEENSLAND.

CELEBRATING THE JUBILEE.

BRISBANE, Monday.

The Premier stated to-day that he hoped Parliament would meet on November 2. He expressed the hope that now the political atmosphere has cleared Parliament would be able to get on with the work which remained so long in abeyance owing to the obstruction of the Opposition. Dealing with the question of the celebration of the State's Jubilee, Mr. Kidston said he hoped the occasion would be marked in some way. He had several schemes in view, but there had been so much obstruction in the House it was not possible for any of them to fructify. However, he hoped the University Bill would be passed in sufficient time to enable the University to be inaugurated on December 10. Such a measure would be one of the most fitting means of marking the jubilee, he thought. He hoped Brisbane would also be able to mark the jubilee year by inaugurating a sewerage system, for he desired to pass a Water and Sewerage Bill at an early date. Mr. Kidston said nothing would be done in regard to the Agency-General or the appointment of a secretary in London for a little time. He added that he felt he wanted a rest. A number of questions would have to stand over till he returned from Rockhampton.

It having been pointed out that the freight on condensed milk from Sydney to Brisbane, via coastal steamer, is 8s per ton, and from Brisbane to Sydney 10s per ton, notwithstanding the fact that Queensland produces more condensed milk than all the other Australian States together, it is now understood that the freights will be readjusted, so as not to discriminate against Queensland's exports of this commodity.

THE "TIGER" RETURNS.

ROARS IN A FOG.

JAMBEROO, Monday.

On Friday last Messrs. Hiram Prior and Ernest King, employees of the Jamberoo Council, were working at the main road, Jamberoo Mountain, when their attention was attracted by an unusual roar, as of some wild beast. There was a fog on the mountain at the time, which prevented them from seeing any distance. Both men went towards the edge of a precipice in the direction of the noise, as the sound kept getting closer. They were shortly afterwards terror-stricken by a roar coming from the rocks underneath, and, being unarmed, made their way speedily down the mountain. It is generally believed by some residents of the vicinity, who also at times distinctly heard the peculiar roar, that there is some animal at large.

BARQUE'S ADVENTUROUS VOYAGE.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The barque Wynford, which has arrived at Port Adelaide, experienced an extremely rough voyage from London. For three months there was an almost unbroken succession of gales. Several times the forward house was flooded, and the crew had to be removed aft. On August 7 the ship was hove to in face of a terrific hurricane, and a mighty billow swept aboard, carrying every one of the starboard watch, consisting of six seamen, two boys, and the second mate, over the side. One of the men, P. O'Rielly, of Dublin, failed to maintain his grasp of the braces, and was seen no more. The remainder of the watch with difficulty regained the deck. On July 31 the first mate, R. Sprague, a native of Ipswich, died of dropsy, and was buried at sea.

THE BUDGET BATTLE.

MR. LLOYD-GEORGE'S SPEECH.

GREAT OVERFLOW MEETING.

LONDON, Oct. 10.

Mr. Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, after his speech on the Budget in the Palace Theatre, Newcastle, last night, addressed an overflow meeting, at which 6000 were present.

Mr. Lloyd-George said he was glad the people were with the Government in the fight. He had feared at the start that the people might not realise in time how deeply their interests were bound up in the Budget.

"THE SPEECH OF A DEMAGOGUE."

TORY PRESS INCENSED.

Opposition newspapers assert that the speech which Mr. Lloyd-George delivered at Newcastle was worse than the speech at Limehouse. It was the speech of a demagogue they declare, a deliberate attempt to set class against class.

COMPARISON WITH MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

The "Daily Chronicle" and the "Daily News" (Liberal) compare the speech to speeches delivered by Mr. Chamberlain in his Radical days.

AMENDMENTS TO FINANCE BILL.

LONDON, Oct. 11.

Government amendments numbering 182 have been tabled to the first part of the Finance Bill (Land and Mineral Taxes).

THE POSTAL COMMISSION.

FEMALE STAMP PERFORATORS.

"A MISERABLE PITTANCE."

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Postal Commission took further evidence to-day. Mr. James Kinmond, accountant to the central postal administration, stated that the Meteorological Department cost the postal department £53,000 a year. There had also been a loss on the New Caledonian cable. New South Wales and Queensland had been losing £1000 a year over the cable since 1902. Under the present postal contract with the Orient Steamship Company the department paid £35,000 a year, and at the end of next year the annual payment would be £80,000. This sum should be debited to the general revenue.

Miss Ada Bevan, a stamp perforator, contended that as there were only three permanent stamp perforators on the staff, and 12 supernumeraries, paid at a much lower rate, and as the work done by the supernumeraries was identical with that of the three permanent hands, their pay should be about the same, and that they should receive a definite status as Commonwealth Public servants. The work of perforation demanded great dexterity of hand and eye, and she received for her services £1 a week. Witness perforated more than one thousand sheets of stamps per day.

Miss Florence Johnston, a checker of postal notes, also upon the supernumerary staff of the printing office, stated that she had been for 18 years in the service, and had not yet been definitely appointed. For this work she received only £1 a week.

Senator De Largie: I regard this as a miserable pittance.

Witness: I know it is; but what can I do?

Witness, continuing, said that all the work was done amidst the noise of the machinery. Some girls only earned seven shillings a week.

FEDERAL PENSIONS.

55,219 APPLICATIONS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

To-day the Pensions Commission (Mr. G. T. Allen) made available the weekly return showing how pensioners' applications have been dealt with to date. The details are as follow:—New South Wales: 3432 claims received, 1988 claims granted, 267 claims rejected, 21,619 State certificates exchanged for Federal ones. Victoria: 6766 claims received, 6100 claims granted, 505 claims rejected, 11,933 certificates exchanged. Queensland: 1094 claims received, 782 granted, 145 rejected, 6638 certificates exchanged. South Australia: 4102 claims received, 2687 granted, 317 rejected. Western Australia: 2044 claims received, 1144 granted, 172 rejected. Tasmania: 2871 claims received, 2328 granted, 94 rejected. The total number of new applications for pensions was 30,309. Of these 15,029 have been granted and 1500 rejected, the remaining 13,780 being under consideration. The 15,029 new pensions granted added to the 40,190 pensioners transferred from the State to the Federal lists, brings the total number of pensioners to-day to 55,219.

THE SUGAR INDUSTRY.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

In connection with the impending appointment of a non-political commission to inquire into the Australian sugar industry, the Prime Minister (Mr. Deakin) has forwarded instructions to the Customs Department concerning the preparation of a definite scope and basis for the work of the commission. The department has been arranging a mass of information, suggestions, and complaints, which have been received from those interested in the industry; and Mr. Deakin's last communication will be taken in conjunction with the papers already under view. It is to the effect that it will be desirable for the commission to inquire into the incidence and effect of the bounty and excise provisions, and their success or otherwise in securing the industry to white labour. Further questions which the Prime Minister suggests referring to the commission are the advisability or otherwise of extending existing legislation or of introducing other and more direct legislation to maintain the white labour policy.

THE "AGE" LIBEL ACTION.

NEW TRIAL REFUSED.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The State Full Court to-day delivered judgment on an application by the proprietors of the "Age" for a new trial of the libel action brought against them by Mr. Swinburne, M.L.A. Mr. Swinburne, it will be remembered, obtained a verdict for £3250. The Court unanimously decided to refuse the new trial.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS.

RIVERINA.

WEST WYALONG, Monday.

Mr. Stace Lloyd, general organiser for the Liberal and Reform Association, has been visiting this part of the Riverina Federal electorate in anticipation of the coming election campaign, and reports that a strong support will be given to whichever of the several candidates for the seat in the Liberal and Reform interest is selected. At present there are three seeking selection, among them being Mr. Otto Jaeger, late editor of the Wyalong "Advocate."

NEW ZEALAND'S PROSPERITY.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Monday.

Speaking on defence matters at a complimentary banquet at Wellington, Sir Joseph Ward said that even were it possible to embark on a local navy policy in New Zealand the administration would find it very difficult to build ships without having all the elements of the local jealousy arising because they could only be built in one place. Speaking generally, he said the position was improving. They were on the eve of a time of renewed prosperity for some years.

METHODIST FARMERS.

BRISBANE, Monday.

Important developments are taking place in regard to the large territory to be served by the Dalby-Tara line. To-day 11 Victorians arrived. They are the advance guard of 150 families, who have agreed to take up land in the Moonie Valley country, out from Dalby. One of the principals is Mr. A. Hoadley, a well-known jam and biscuit manufacturer, of Melbourne. A feature of the group is that it is composed wholly of Methodist families. The families will arrive in March and April next. Some of the most prominent of the members of the group are from the Lilydale district. Another group, also Methodists, has taken up land in the vicinity. They are also from Victoria.

THE CLIFTON STRIKE.

AN EXCITING DAY.

MINERS' TRYING EXPERIENCE.

CLIFTON, Monday.

There is not the slightest sign of any settlement of the South Clifton and South Clifton tunnel strike, and matters are now assuming a more serious aspect.

In consequence of Saturday afternoon's demonstration, additional police arrived on Saturday night, and patrolled the streets in the vicinity of the homes of the two men—Williamson and Phillips—against whom the members of the union are fighting. A large crowd hovered around the homes of these two men, but they did not attempt in any way to interfere with them. Pickets have been posted outside each of the men's homes since yesterday morning, and throughout the excessive heat of Sunday a constant watch was kept. The pickets from time to time were relieved by their companions. Last night the watch was kept up until a late hour. Additional police also visited Clifton last night, but as everything was then quiet they returned to their stations. This morning at an early hour the men on strike and a large number of women began to assemble at various points along the route leading from the homes of Williamson and Phillips to the mine, but as the usual hour for a start at the mine passed, without any sign of the two men, it was thought that they had made up their minds not to go to work to-day. But this proved not to be the case, as on the arrival of the early morning train from Wollongong, Inspector Pountney, Sergeant M'Millian, and three extra police alighted. Shortly afterwards Phillips left his house, and walked along the railway line in the direction of the mine. He was quickly followed by a crowd, which commenced shouting and hooting. Constables Connor, Mooney, and Abbot then put in an appearance. Williamson came out of his house, and joined Phillips, and both proceeded in the direction of the mine. They had not proceeded far when they were met by some 200 men and women, the women exhibiting a very bitter feeling. One woman immediately rushed at the men, and the crowd began to push and jostle, and the situation looked serious. The police advised the crowd to keep cool, and not to interfere with the two men. Some of the men in the crowd were also using every endeavour to keep their companions within bounds, and prevent trouble. In the temporary block several blows were exchanged, but nothing of a serious nature occurred. Williamson's tucker tin and water bottle were torn off, and he proceeded to work without them. At a point some 150 yards from where the first interruption took place, Inspector Pountney, Sergeant M'Millian, and Constable Dwyer had taken up their position, and as the crowd approached, Inspector Pountney informed them that no one could be allowed along the railway line past that point, and that they would have to travel by the main road. The crowd immediately obeyed. Williamson and Phillips also had to take the main road, the crowd following them all the way to the pit, shouting and abusing them for the stand they were taking. At one time during the journey to the mine the two men were advised to pay their fine, and it looked as if one of the men was inclined to give way, but finally went on with his mate. The crowd behaved remarkably well, considering the small body of police present.

Several additional police arrived during the day. Great excitement has prevailed since the early afternoon, when a large crowd of men, women, and children began to assemble in close proximity to the South Clifton colliery, where the two men, Phillips and Williamson, were working, and close watch was kept for their appearance above ground, to return to their homes. Every means of egress from the colliery was watched by pickets, to prevent the men getting home without the crowd being aware of it. All day preparations were being made to give the men a warm reception, the women folk being particularly active. At 4 p.m. a crowd of about 400 had gathered. One man was carrying a large black banner, with red bands, bearing the words: "No Scabs' Union." Other signs on cardboard were also in evidence. The whole length of the road between the colliery and the two men's homes was also lined with people, waiting to take part in the demonstration. It was expected that the men would leave the mine somewhere about 4 p.m., but it was considerably after that time before they made their appearance. This was the signal for a shout from the crowd assembled, which had formed into line on each side of the main street. The men were then rushed, and roughly jostled, and pelted with eggs, etc. It is stated that Williamson signified his willingness not to work to-morrow, but Phillips remained firm in the stand he had taken. Consequently the full force of the abuse then turned on him. He was surrounded by a crowd of men, women and children, all shouting and hooting. After this had proceeded for some time, it is understood that Phillips also stated that he would not work to-morrow.

The police had great difficulty in dealing with the crowd, which followed the men right to their doors. Phillips, with several police officers round him, and closely hemmed in by a crowd of between 400 and 500, reached his home about 5.30. Even when he had gained that shelter the crowd continued to shout abuse, and pelted his house with stones, eggs, etc. The police interfered, and the crowd shortly afterwards dispersed. It is stated that a meeting of the South Clifton Miners' Lodge will be held to-morrow to consider the situation.

MUTUAL AMENITIES.

HARRY HOLLAND AND TOM MANN.

"PROBABLY GAOLED IN ENGLAND."

"I am sorry he did not get into gaol when he was here," said Mr. Harry Holland, who was recently released from imprisonment in Albury after the Broken Hill riots, when welcoming as chairman Mr. Tom Mann, who lectured at the Protestant Hall last night, "I am sorry he did not get into gaol, because he would have had an experience to take home with him.

"As luck has it, by the grace of Providence or of the Wade Government, or some other influence, I have the opportunity to welcome Tom Mann. I can't tell you how pleased I am to be here to welcome him. It was just touch and go that I would not be here at all. A week or two ago I was in a different place altogether. When I heard Mr. Mann was going to England I began to wish I should see him before he went. I have been through a number of fights with him. Undoubtedly the working class of Australia appreciate the work he has done here.

"Tom Mann has been doing splendid work in Victoria. That was one of the things I learned when I was in Mr. Wade's silencer at Albury. Myself, I am going back to Albury again. I like it so well. And then to Melbourne and Broken Hill. I want to go there again before I die.

"Tom Mann is going to England. The chances are they will put him into gaol when he gets there, because although it is Christian England, and a free country, it is almost as bad there as in Australia. Some day we may hear of Mr. Mann reading of Russian liberty. Is not that correct?" asked Mr. Holland, turning to Tom Mann.

Mr. Mann apparently assented. "That is correct," concluded Mr. Holland.

Before he began his lecture on religions, Mr. Tom Mann replied.

"I congratulate Harry right heartily that he is out as early as he is," he said. "I had reason to know he was in Albury. I had good reason to know why he was there. I was nearly there myself for some time."

ALLEGED SHOOTING AT AUBURN.

ACCUSED COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

At the Parramatta Police Court on Monday, before Mr. E. L. Maitland, S.M., Alfred Henry Marshall was charged with, at Auburn, on the 8th inst, shooting at one James M'Gee with intent to murder. Mr. F. W. Todhunter appeared for the accused.

James M'Gee stated that he was a tinsmith, residing at Auburn. He was married, but not living with his wife. On Friday evening he went to the place where his wife was living, as he had a letter for her. He then went to the park, and in the dressing-room he saw Marshall, who had his arm round his (witness's) wife. The man sprang at him and put a revolver in his face and threatened to shoot him. Witness's wife called out "Yes, shoot him, Alf." Accused then ordered him to put his hands up, and as he bent down and was sidling away accused fired, and witness heard a bullet whizz past his right ear. Witness, who had a bottle of beer with him, threw it at accused, but missed him. Witness's wife then called out to accused not to shoot, as "there were more of them." Accused then ran away. In the dressing-room he found an overcoat, an umbrella, a man's hat, and a woman's hat (produced). A man named Membray came up. Accused had also returned. Witness said, "This man tried to shoot me. He has a revolver in his hand now." Accused said, "It's all right, mate, I won't shoot; I only want my clothes." Other than going into the shed where accused was with witness's wife, witness did not give accused any provocation.

The magistrate announced that he had decided to charge accused with shooting with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm.

Accused, who reserved his defence, was committed to take his trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions, to be held on the 18th inst. Bail was allowed, self in £80, and two sureties in £40 each or one in £80.

RED RAIN.

A REMARKABLE SPECTACLE.

DUST PARTICLES FROM THE INTERIOR.

When daylight broke yesterday it became evident that the rain of the previous night had been of a blood-red character, for the pavements of the city were spotted, and deposits of brick-coloured dust were noticed on the leaves of plants in the city and suburban gardens. The spectacle was a remarkable one, and the peculiar appearance of the trees and shrubs caused much comment.

Similar rains have occurred on many occasions in Sydney, and only last year a storm of this character was experienced. In the past, however, red rain has been associated with conditions of drought in some portion of the continent, but in the present instance the existence of a drought is not known.

The cause of red rain is very simply explained. After strong westerly or north-westerly hot winds, such as that experienced on Sunday, the atmosphere is heavily laden with fine dust, and rain following quickly the particles of dust are deposited on the earth in the form of red-coloured mud. The meteorological authorities incline to the opinion that the dust travelled from the far interior—from the very centre of the continent—where it is quite possible a severe drought is raging, although there are no means to ascertain the exact position of affairs. It is suggested by the experts that the dust came from a distance of at least a thousand miles, and that it travelled at a great height from the earth's surface.

The late Mr. H. C. Russell when Government Astronomer of this State, made a special study of this subject in connection with his 19 years' cycle theory, and in the course of a paper read by him before the Royal Society in 1896, he remarked, "There have been a number of red rain storms noted in this colony—the latest on April 10. Red dust is obviously a proof of drought somewhere, otherwise the dust could not rise, and since these proofs of drought are entirely apart from the others, and recorded not as droughts, but as prodigies which in days gone by created no little alarm, it will be worth while to see how far they support or contradict the 19 years' cycle. There are altogether 69 recorded instances of the fall of red rain, and of these I have recorded six for New South Wales. The first historic red rain was 14 years after the foundation of the city of Rome, B.C. 738.

FURTHER RAINS.

OVER A VERY LARGE AREA.

Practically the whole of the country situated to the southward of an imaginary line drawn from Bourke in the north-west to Port Macquarie on the north coast, participated in the rains of Saturday and Sunday, but generally speaking, the falls were light. Only one station received an inch and but seven others upwards of half an inch. The highest registrations were:—

	Points.		Points.
Kosciusko	119	Mount Victoria	40
Orange	78	Trangie	35
Gilgandra	93	Muswellbrook	35
Molong	50	Cudal	35
Gulgong	66	Rockley	36
Hill End	58	Coonabarabran	36
Mudgee	54	Coonamble	32
Adaminaby	61	Narromine	38
Quambone	44	Cowra	30
Trundle	40	Warren	38

Other falls recorded during the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

Adelong 19 points, Albury 18, Balranald 6, Barmedman 4, Bateman's Bay 3, Bathurst 25, Bega 4, Bemboka 17, Blackheath 41, Bombala 6, Bourke 10, Bowral 3, Brewarrina 11, Bungendore 1, Burrowa 4, Camden Haven 18, Candelo 1, Carinda 15, Cobar 9, Condobolin 5, Coolah 53, Coolamon 8, Cooma 15, Corowa 14, Crookhaven 5, Crookwell 20, Dandaloo 15, Delegate 4, Deniliquin 13, Dubbo 41, Eden 5, Euston 2, Forbes 17, Gabo Island 3, Germanton 18, Girilambone 26, Gongolgon 16, Goulburn 15, Green Cape 3, Gresford 13, Grong Grong 4, Gunnedah 8, Gundagai 15, Gunning 3, Henty 12, Hillston 4, Hungerford 4, Hunter's Hill 16, Jerry's Plains 28, Jervis Bay 7, Junee 8, Jindabyne 42, Katoomba 36, Kiandra 67, Killara 21, Kurrajong 27, Lawson 26, Louth 10, Maitland 14, Manning Heads 20, Marrickville 21, Marsdens 4, Michelago 10, Merangarell 3, Mosman 12, Moss Vale 8, Moulamein 12, Murrumburrah 1, Murrurundi 5, Narrandera 4, Newcastle 10, Nimitybelle 20, Nymagee 15, Nyngan 17, Parkes 26, Paterson 21, Penrith 15, Picton 8, Pooncarie 5, Port Macquarie 12, Port Stephens 10, Queanbeyan 21, Quirindi 4, Raymond Terrace 15, Scone 29, Singleton 22, Springwood 15, Sutton Forest 2, Sydney 15, Tamworth 5, Taralga 15, Temora 5, Tocumwal 10, Tumbarumba 41, Tumut 13, Ulladulla 23, Urana 4, Wagga Wagga 11, Wanaaring 3, Wellington 40, Wentworth 3, Whitton 4, Windsor 7, Yass 2, Young 3, Byrock 11.

BLACKHEATH.—During a very heavy wind and rain storm, which last about an hour on Sunday night, a good deal of damage was done to property. One of the windows of the post-office was blown in, and the roofs of three houses on the western side of the line were lifted bodily, two landing on the railway line, and the other on the main road. Several sheets of iron were carried even further. Some of the iron telegraph poles were bent to an angle of 90 degrees, and many of the wires broken, apparently owing to the roofs referred to colliding with them. Fortunately people were not in the vicinity at the time, the storm being during church hour.

BLACKTOWN.—The oppressive heat of Saturday and Sunday culminated in a very heavy storm, when the wind blew with hurricane force. The lightning was exceptionally vivid. A good downpour of rain fell for about two hours, which will materially assist the crops and supply household requirements. The thermometer on Sunday registered 97 in the shade. Good rains are badly wanted throughout the district to further the growth of the pasturage.

BOGAN GATE.—Splendid rain fell throughout the district on Sunday, 90 points being registered here for Saturday and Sunday.

CAMPBELLTOWN.—The maximum temperature on Sunday was 91 degrees. During the night a thunderstorm passed over, yielding 25 points.

CANOWINDRA.—A blinding duststorm, followed by a heavy thunderstorm, passed over the district on Sunday afternoon, 31 points being registered. It will delay shearing, but the crops will benefit materially.

COOMA.—The weather was unseasonably warm on Sunday, followed by showers in the evening, 18 points being registered. General rain is urgently needed.

COONABARABRAN.—The rainfall since Friday last totals 69 points.

COONAMBLE.—During a thunderstorm on Sunday night 32 points fell. Most of the crops in the district continue to make good progress.

DUBBO.—Light showers of rain fell on Friday and Sunday nights. It was much needed, as the crops were suffering considerably from the heat of the past fortnight. Some farmers declare that the return from the early-sown wheat will be disappointing, the kernel having been pinched during the dry spell, and in other cases touched by frost. The late crops are looking their best, and with fair rainfalls a good return is expected, but all grain and grass wants freshening up.

LIVERPOOL.—The boisterous weather which prevailed during Sunday, culminated in a violent thunderstorm about 9 o'clock at night. The storm, which lasted a couple of hours, was accompanied by vivid lightning and a slight fall of rain, and during its progress the lightning struck the chimney of a house in town.

MERRIWA.—A heavy thunderstorm occurred on Sunday night. Sixty-five points of rain were recorded, making an inch and a half since Thursday night.

MOLONG.—Sunday was the hottest day this summer, the glass registering 90. A violent thunderstorm occurred in the evening. The lightning was very vivid, and steady rain followed, 50 points being recorded. The fall was general throughout the district. Manildra registered 65 points, and Cumnock 24.

PORTLAND.—Following a very hot day, a violent storm occurred about 8 o'clock on Sunday night. The wind blew with great force, after which a thunderstorm occurred, with heavy rain, 56 points being registered. It was again showery on Monday, and looked like continuing.

RAINFALL IN QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Monday.

The principal rainfall registrations in Queensland during the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m. to-day were:—

Northern division: Cooktown 5 points, Cairns 45, Musgrave 61, Port Douglas 35, Geraldton 88, Halifax 122, Ingham 101.

FEDERAL-STATE FINANCE.

NEW SOUTH WALES' POSITION.

MR. WADE TO MR. BRUCE SMITH.

The Premier, commenting upon Mr. Bruce Smith's speech in the House of Representatives, says the member for Parkes seemed to be under the impression that the agreement made between the Commonwealth and the Premiers of the States could be altered in detail without affecting the operation of other clauses.

"For instance," Mr. Wade explained, "he appears to be under the impression that the element of permanency could be eliminated and the undertaking of the States to meet any deficiency during the current financial year to the Commonwealth and to antedate the expiry of the Braddon clause could still be enforced against the States. This view is mistaken, and I think I am safe in saying, quite contrary to the intention of every member at the conference. Speaking on behalf of New South Wales, I can confidently say that, unless the element of permanency had been promised this State in the agreement, we would never have consented to dip our hands into the Treasury for the present year and contribute the sum of £200,000 to meet the Commonwealth deficit. This deficit may not be found to exist at the termination of the year; but we undertook to face that possibility in common with the other States, and wholly in consideration of the promise to make the general agreement permanent and embodied in the Constitution.

"I take it," continued the Premier, "that if this most material element in the agreement is struck out, and the electors of the Commonwealth are not allowed to express an opinion upon the matter, the agreement in other respects ceases to be operative, and, as I said on Saturday, the only practicable course seems to be to endeavour to secure support to an agreement on like terms through the representation of the State in the members elected at the forthcoming Federal elections."

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.

ALLEGED FALSE CUSTOMS ENTRY.

AN IMPORTER FINED.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The District Court was occupied to-day in the hearing of a case concerning an alleged false Customs entry. Martin Becker, of Clarence-street, Sydney, a partner in the firm of Staerker and Fischer, Sydney and Melbourne, was proceeded against on the information of Customs-Inspector Christie on a charge of having been concerned in the making by one Reginald Vernon Rossiter of a Customs entry respecting certain goods imported into the Commonwealth. The goods, it was alleged, arrived by the Gottingen, and were wrongly described "screws for wood," and by stating that they were duty free defendant had intended to defraud the revenue. Mr. F. Mann (instructed by the Federal Crown Law Department) appearerd on behalf of the prosecution, and the defendant, who denied the charge, was represented by Mr. W. H. Croker.

Evidence was given by Richard William Moorehead, Inspector of Customs, that on March 23, after certain correspondence between defendant's firm and the Customs, he visited the former's office in William-street. A conversation ensued between witness and the acting manager, Mr. Homewood, and the latter showed him an order for "bent supports for insulators." A note had been added to the document as follows:—"Important.—To be boxed separately, and invoiced as iron screws for wood only." After witness had perused the order Mr. Homewood remarked, "The note certainly looks very incriminating; but I think it is justified. It is arguable that they are wood screws." Witness then sent for Mr. Furmedge, of the Customs Department, and together they examined the documents of the firm. These showed that duty had previously been paid on bent insulators as "manufactures of metal, n.e.i., 30 per cent.," and the firm knew, therefore, that the goods could not be admitted as "screws for wood."

Albert John Furmedge, examining officer of the Customs, deposed that he assisted Inspector Moorehead in an inspection of the firm's books. In the course of conversation at the William-street office Mr. Homewood said, "The firm is not to blame for this matter. I am entirely responsible for the goods being passed as wood screws. I saw an item 'screws for wood' in the tariff, and I suggested to Mr. Griffin, who was then manager of the firm, that we could get them in as screws for wood."

Mr. Croker contended for the defence that the present proceedings had not been properly instituted in accordance with a decision of the High Court. He held that as the screws in question could be screwed into wood defendants were entitled to pass them as "screws for wood."

Mr. Dwyer, P.M., said, apart altogether from the technical nature of the evidence given by the defence, he was satisfied that the articles in question were known to the trade as brackets for insulators. So far as the matter of "intent" was concerned, defendant would be given the benefit of the existing doubt, in all the circumstances. The Bench imposed a penalty of £20, with £5 5s costs.

The hearing of a further similar charge against Alfred James Homewood was adjourned until Tuesday next.

RELIGIONS.

TOM MANN'S OPINIONS.

A REVIEW OF HISTORY.

PAGANISM AND CHRISTIANITY.

Tom Mann, who is shortly leaving Australia, lectured last night to a large audience at the Protestant Hall on "Ancient and Modern Religions." He touched incidentally on the Babylonian, Egyptian, Greek, Roman, Scandinavian, and Druid religions, on Aristotle, Lucretius, Isis, Osiris, and Horus, Thor, Woden, Valhalla, Atlantis, Prometheus, Epimetheus, and a hundred other ancient characters, both historical and mythical, ending up with the Darwinian and neo-Darwinian theories and the more modern theory of mutations. Mr. Harry Holland, the international socialist, was in the chair.

These are some of Mr. Tom Mann's remarks:—

"Last century almost everyone in Europe thought the world was brought into existence in six days, and the Deity rested on the seventh. The Biblical accounts tell that 4004 years B.C. the world was brought into existence.

"The Egyptians were civilised before the alleged creation.

"It has now been declared there were two creations, a pre-Adamite creation as well.

"The Biblical account of creation was known very many years before in Babylon. The one appears to be taken from the other.

"The Greek philosophers were not prepared to take things for granted."

Druidism: "The Romans crushed Druidism. What really happened was the taking of Druidical celebrations into Christianity when it came in with the Romans."

Christianity and the Egyptian religion: "The Egyptian goddess Isis was the wife of Osiris, and the mother of Horus. The infant Horus was nursed by the goddess Isis, just as we see in the images now. This trinity spread so rapidly that it occupied the whole of Italy. There were everywhere portrayals of the mother and child, and these were retained there when the religion of Christ was accepted, and the same figures were worshipped with the names changed—father, mother, and son; Madonna and Child came from Egypt.

"They also believed in the immaculate conception."

Tom Mann passed over the Darwinian and various evolutionary theories which denied the possibility of sudden change, and had come to the mutational theory, which, he said, gave scientific support to socialism. He was maintaining that in the Ten Commandments the conception of God was not necessarily of one God, when a man in the front row stood up, and said something. The lecturer stopped.

"All I say is, Jesus is the Lord, and you will all have to overcome Him," said the man.

"Put him out," said several voices.

"All right, I'm going," said the man, as he walked out.

"I did not quite catch," said the lecturer. "I think he said Jesus was the Lord, whatever I might say. I think that too. That man merely does not enter into my mind. A mutational jump may come to one of his sort."

Mr. Mann finished with a reference to the artificial production of new species of plants.

CASUALTIES.

STRUCK BY A BALE OF WOOL.

Robert Grant, a storeman, aged 44, living at 264 Barcom-avenue, Darlinghurst, was working at Winchcombe, Carson, and Co.'s stores at Pyrmont yesterday, when a bale of wool fell from the third floor to the ground floor and struck him on the back of the head and shoulders. Both his shoulders and his neck were injured by the blow, his head was cut, and he was affected by shock. He was taken to Sydney Hospital and admitted by Dr. Allen.

DEAD BABY FOUND.

The dead body of a male child, newly-born, was found at the side of a tree in Belmore Park early yesterday. It was wrapped in a newspaper dated October 7.

ACCIDENT ENDS FATALLY.

Donald Munroe, the lad who was struck by a falling iron plate on the hulk Fortuna, at Mort's Dock, on Sunday, died from his injuries in the Balmain Hospital yesterday.

SUICIDE AT SHERWOOD.

On Sunday morning an old-age pensioner named William Patrick Murray, aged 73, residing at Sherwood, was admitted into the Parramatta District Hospital suffering from the effects of a dose of spirits of salts, which he said he had taken, giving as his reason that he wanted to die. On the previous Saturday he had been up at the police court, and fined for drunkenness. He died in the hospital on Monday morning. On the same afternoon the Parramatta coroner held an inquest, when a verdict of suicide was recorded.

CHILD BURNED.

FOREST REEFS, Monday.

A 3-year-old child of Mr. E. Mackenzie overbalanced itself and fell in the fire. It was taken to the Orange Hospital, where slight hopes were entertained for its recovery.

FALL FROM A CART.

CAMDEN, Monday.

This morning, whilst unloading milk at the railway station, Joseph Wasson was standing in a cart when his horse suddenly started forward, causing him to fall out behind. One arm and one leg were broken. Wasson was removed to the Cottage Hospital. The horse was not caught till he had upset the vehicle.

IMMIGRANT COMMITS SUICIDE.

BOGGABRI, Monday.

A young immigrant named Ian K. Mackay, working at Northam, committed suicide by taking strychnine on Saturday afternoon. At the inquest a finding of suicide was recorded.

THE CITY ELECTIONS.

SYDNEY'S SURE FUTURE.

III.

Sydney had 496,990 people in 1901. The Government Statistician's officers stated on Saturday that Sydney has well over 600,000 to-day. If anyone had arrived here in 1905 he would have found 533,300 people in Sydney. Three years later, when the last figures were taken, 60,000 people had added themselves on to it. The increase in 1906 was over 23,000; in 1907 over 20,000; and in 1908, 15,000.

Even if Sydney only increases by that number each year when she is a city three times her present size, there are many children now alive who will be living in Sydney still when she is a city of 2,000,000 people. By 1929 she will have passed the 1,000,000.

If cities accumulated at compound interest Sydney would be half again as large as London before the end of the century. But cities do not grow in that way. They grow as the need for men grows there. It is only a few years now before the position of Sydney will begin to give her over other Australian ports advantages which must grow and grow until they become overwhelming. The instant the last embankment keeping the water of the Atlantic from the water of the Pacific is knocked away in Panama, Sydney will become in one act the nearest point in Australia to the crux of the world. At present she is about the furthest away from it. As the Pacific flushes up suddenly in the next 20 years with a trade as active as the trade of Europe, Sydney will be the nearest port of Australia to which the lines of that trade also will run as into a funnel. As for the nearer islands Sydney will practically be their commercial capital. Within 25 years—probably within 10 years—the reasons for the growth of Sydney will be about twice as strong as they are now, and permanent.

There are half a dozen channels in the east coast of America through which trade pours. But in the whole east coast of Australia, Sydney has practically no rival. Even most of the trade to the west will in future touch here. To imagine Sydney damaged by the prosperity of Melbourne would be a very narrow view. The more Melbourne grows the more she will need of Sydney. The factories of Sydney will grow. There will be of necessity a big naval port in Sydney. Those who have means to live wherever it is pleasant—and they are a big fraction—will flock to Sydney. And as for those who leave the city to go on the land, so far from their creating a vacancy, every blade or tree or sheep they grow makes work for still more people in Sydney.

The growth of Sydney seems more inevitable than that of any city anywhere. It is probably not a matter of congratulation; because the life in their great cities has hitherto sapped the strength out of every city people. But in the last 50 years Europe and America have given their cities powers which are sometimes enormous—simply that they may each try to develop themselves into places where the race may live with comfort, and without deteriorating, even though concentrated. The cities are nearly all working out their theories now. New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, are "ruralising" for the sake of the race. Chicago is opening small breathing spaces in every quarter, and buying big parks round the outskirts. Boston has reserved five miles along the ocean front. Harrisburg got a landscape architect and two engineers to draw a plan, and is absolutely transforming itself. The whole configuration of Pittsburg has been entirely changed at one move by bringing a big central railway station into the middle of the city, with an open space in front of it. Milan, Paris, Vienna have all come through enormous improvement schemes. But the country in which the science of cities is carried to far greater lengths than in any other is Germany.

"The system of municipal government in Germany has been shaped upon the conviction that the work of governing a town is so important and so difficult that it requires the whole working time and all the powers of thought of able men who have acquired special knowledge." That is the account given by Dr. H. S. Lunn, who, with Sir John Gorst, arranged the visit of British municipal authorities to German cities in 1907. Only part of a German municipal council is elected. The Mayor is elected by that part, but he is a trained official—not an amateur; which is probably the reason why, though their franchise is far narrower than ours, their enterprise, as Dr. Lunn says, is much more active. Frankfort has spent £10,000,000 on big land schemes in ten years, and is yet in a good financial position. But then Frankfort is managed by experts.

Birmingham has carried out the biggest scheme in England. The centre of Birmingham used to be slum. This was resumed bodily—45 acres, with 1368 houses on them—in 1876. The slum was pulled down, and the finest street in Birmingham built. The sites along it were let on 75 years' building lease. The ground is still being cleared. So far the council has spent from the first £1,731,549. It received last year £62,031 in rents from this property, and £13,000 in rates. The property is to-day worth over £3,000,000. In 1950 the city will own the whole, and will be receiving such rents that it has been said no other revenue will be needed. Besides this, the Birmingham Council is arranging for a new water supply, at a cost of £6,000,000.

Manchester has undertaken an almost bigger business. When the Manchester Ship Canal Company was in difficulties Manchester lent it £5,000,000. It has now the chief say in the management. Though the interest some years ago was actually £1,895,990 in arrears, Manchester cancelled £854,492 of the debt, and took 3½ per cent. perference shares for the other million. For years the city has been rating itself cheerfully to make up for these losses, because of the benefit the canal brought it. In a year or two there will be no more need for those rates. The city has big housing and tramway schemes in hand.

Nearly all these British cities—Birmingham for instance—control not only their electric lighting like Sydney, they control their police, markets, water supply, sewerage, gas, slaughterhouses, trams, baths, washhouses, cemeteries, libraries, museums and galleries, some technical schools, school of arts, hospitals, industrial schools, asylums, and stipendiary magistrates; and towns on the seaside, their docks, and sometimes ferries. That is to say, like the German towns, they control all the monopolies, though the German towns mostly undertake more radical schemes. Sir John Gorst says of the German system that nobody supposes it means socialism.

Sydney has reached that important period in her history when the achievements of municipalism of the old world are for her present problems that must be, and are about to be, solved. The responsibility of government of such a great and rapidly developing city is increasing in weight. Furthermore, nobody can doubt that as Sydney grows—in the very near future, too—full self-government will have to be given to her citizens, as it has been given to the citizens of every great city in the world. There is no question that a Greater Sydney body must come, because Sydney is far behind most cities in the world already. All the British cities have full self-government, and Sydney cannot remain in leading strings, having to ask the Government for a park if she wants it, or dependent on the Government for her water, her trams, and her drains. A German councillor smiled when the Mayor of Birkenhead told him that a street to Birkenhead had been torn up and put down four times in the year. In Sydney there are seven authorities who may tear up the streets at will. If a city of 2,000,000 is going to be built around Sydney within 100 years, and a city of 200,000 within 10 years, its growth must be controlled. There is an opportunity in it of which no city in the world has the equal, and it is quite certain that big powers will have to be given, and fresh big schemes carried through to make use of it. But there is a danger which is exactly as great as the opportunity.

There is one condition to success in this business. It stands to reason in any big business. The men who carry out the great German works are trained deeply educated ex-

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perts, who will be dismissed if they are corrupt or incompetent without hope of another place. In England the man who planned and carried through the gigantic Birmingham scheme was Mr. Joseph Chamberlain. In Glasgow and Manchester there are on the councils men whom any company would eagerly make its directors. They are able men of affairs, and quite above suspicion. And that is the one condition for Sydney. Her enormous undertakings will be a success, and will go a long way towards making not only the city but the people, if a board of cool-headed, active-minded, practical men, used to big affairs, controls them. But they also open all sorts of avenues to corruption and mismanagement if corrupt or incompetent men are put into the council. Sydney, with her still vacant lands, her immense future growth, her landscape over Farm Cove, Gardens, Domain, and public buildings, which is even now almost one of the wonders of the world, offers a field of enterprise that any private company might pray for. But bunglers could bring her finances within five years into such a mess as would mean good-bye to all schemes at all for another fifty.

VICTORIA.

SUPERVISION OF PRIVATE HOSPITALS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Premier has given instructions for the drafting of a bill which will make it extremely difficult for the so-called private hospitals, such as were condemned by the Coroner last week, to be carried on.

THE MARRIAGE ACT.

The Fitzroy Bench to-day heard the first prosecution under the new Marriage Act. A labourer, named William Elton, aged 43 years, was charged with having unlawfully, knowingly, and falsely counterfeited a certain writing, purporting to be a permission by a justice of the peace for a marriage being celebrated without notice. Defendant pleaded not guilty. Particulars of the case have already been published. Elton, who reserved his defence, was committed for trial.

ACCOUNTANTS AT DINNER.

THE INCORPORATED INSTITUTE.

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING.

The Institute of Incorporated Accountants of New South Wales held its first annual dinner at Sargent's, Limited, Market-street, last night. The president, Mr. G. T. Clarke, was in the chair, and a number of visitors were present, including the Lord Mayor (Alderman Allen Taylor), Messrs. J. G. Farleigh, M.L.C., R. D. Price, M.L.A., Broughton, M.L.A., C. G. L. Boyce (accountant, State Treasury), S. H. Solomon (City Treasurer), Brierley (Federated Institute of Accountants), and Farrar (vice-president Sydney Labour Council).

The toast of "The Ministry and Parliament" (proposed by Mr. W. T. Ball), was to have been responded to by the Chief Secretary (Mr. Wood), but he was unable to attend. Mr. W. Robson, M.L.C., a member of the institute, was the first to return thanks. Mr. Price followed with a speech in which he made reference to State finances, contending that by the system in vogue the State's finances were not put before the world in as good a position as they should be. Taking the figures to the end of June last, he pointed out that the interest on the whole of the public debt during the last financial year was £3,939,535, and that the net return from the business undertakings was nearly sufficient to pay it; or, in other words, that 79 per cent. of the public debt had been expended on reproductive services, which returned sufficient to pay 95 per cent. of the interest on the whole debt. The Treasurer should separate the administrative revenue, which was 48.3 of the total, from the business undertakings, which returned 51.7 per cent.

Mr. Broughton referred to the Accountancy Bill, which he had been unfortunate with in the difficulties he had encountered. He had been notified of an amendment to be proposed whereby the institute would be incorporated in the schedule, and have the same status as any other in the Commonwealth.

Mr. W. H. Cadogan, vice-president, proposed "The Lord Mayor and Local Government." This was responded to by the Lord Mayor, who said he hoped the institute would strengthen itself with time. He recognised the great responsibilities thrown upon them.

Mr. Farleigh proposed "The Institute of Incorporated Accountants"—the "watch-dogs of commerce." Referring to the Accountancy Bill, he said they had been saved from something very drastic by having it killed in its initiative. ("Oh, oh.") He hoped that when it came up again it would be in a form that they could reasonably consider.

The president, in responding, said they owed a debt to Mr. Broughton, because, but for him they would not have come into existence. Their only fault was that they had been born a bit late. They would have no objection to qualifying if their compeers in the profession would turn out and do the same. All they wanted was fair play, and they expected legislation to give them fair play.

The toast of "The Visitors" was proposed by Mr. Montagu, and responded to by Messrs. Boyce, Solomon, Brierley, and Farrar.

LECTURE ON BROWNING.

The Rev. Dr. Harper, Principal of St. Andrew's College, delivered the first of a series of six lectures last night on Browning's poems, under the auspices of the Sydney University Extension Board. Mr. Board, Director of Education, presided. In his opening remarks Dr. Harper treated of the relation of imaginative writers to history, and instanced the relationship of Shakespeare to it. Browning's relationship was similar. He dominated and moulded history, and though to some extent he rearranged the details he never falsified it. Three periods of Italian history specially attracted Browning's attention—the period of the Lombard League, that of the Renaissance, and the modern period. These periods he described, giving Browning's method of treating them, commenting on his portrayal of the Dark Ages, then of the birth of the Renaissance, how it was, so to speak, set back, first from a feeble beginning, then from a more vigorous one—set back through the rulers. There was a rapid glance at the Borgias, and then the flood of individual thought that culminated in the final revival. Next the 300 years during which Italy was the sport of empires came under review, when her people were given from one ruler to another. Then there was a fine piece of word-painting showing her struggle for freedom; the work of Mazzini, who came nearer being a prophet than anyone who lived in our day; of Cavour, the statesman of movement; of Garibaldi, the knight errant of it. In succeeding lectures others of Browning's works will be treated. "The Ring and the Book" will give material for three lectures; then will come a lecture on his poems on immortality, and as a concluding lecture some of his religious poems will be noticed.

HOSPITAL SATURDAY FUND.

Mr. D. S. K. Miller, chairman of the executive committee of the Hospital Saturday Fund, has received from Mr. J. S. Brunton a cheque for £400, to be distributed among the hospitals of Sydney and suburbs as follows:—

Sydney Hospital, £50; Prince Alfred Hospital, £40; St. Vincent's, £20; Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children, £100; Balmain Hospital, £10; Royal North Shore Hospital, £15; Parramatta Hospital, £10; Western Suburbs Hospital, £10; St. Joseph's Hospital, £10; St. George Hospital, £10; Manly Hospital, £10; Marrickville Hospital, £10; Sydney Homoeopathic Hospital, £5; Carrington Convalescent Hospital, £15; Queen Victoria Homes for Consumptives, £15; Lewisham Hospital for Women and Children, £15; St. Margaret's Maternity Hospital, £5; The Women's Hospital, £15; Royal Hospital for Women, £15; Mater Misericordiae Hospital for Women and Children, £5; Sacred Heart Hospice, £5; N.S.W. Home for Incurables, £10.

The sum of £100 to the Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children, included in the amount of the cheque, is the special gift of Mrs. Brunton to that hospital.

CHILDREN'S COURT, PADDINGTON.

The record of business for the week ended October 2 at the Children's Court, Paddington, shows that the following were released on probation:—A boy (13) who had refused to go to school, but after being kept in the shelter a week promised to reform; a girl (10) for stealing money from a girl 5 years old; a boy (7) for stealing money from a girl aged 5 years; a boy (9) for stealing money from a boy aged 3 years (in the last three cases the money was taken in the street from children going messages for their mothers); a boy (14) for stealing a ham from his employer; and a boy (9) for selling newspapers in the street without a license; a boy (14) who had been going round with a bogus subscription list was committed to the care of a person in the country; and a boy (11) who had stolen money from two children in the street, and who was then on probation for stealing, was committed to Mittagong farm.

A newsvendor was fined on two charges of employing unlicensed children in street-trading; a woman was fined a small amount for assaulting a boy; and a man was committed for trial for assaulting a girl at a moving picture show; two orders were made against fathers for the support of their lawful children; and one inquiry on oath was conducted into an application by a deserted wife for State aid, and granted.

For croup there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.—Advt.

AUSTRALIA'S BISLEY.

THE JUBILEE MATCH.

CHAMPIONS AT WORK.

It was an American visitor who, after a short sojourn in Sydney, said that we had no weather here, but only samples. A visit to Randwick the last three days would certainly have justified his criticism. Saturday was a bright spring day. Sunday brought with it the sweltering heat of midsummer. Monday showed a greater contrast, for the range was shrouded in the cold, misty haze of midwinter.

Sunday night was an anxious time in some of the tents. The heat wave was succeeded by a cyclonic sou'-wester, which extinguished lamps and carried away ropes and canvas, but no great damage was recorded. In the morning early the A grade men got to work in the Jubilee Match at the 300yds distance at the small bull. A slight haze hung over the range, but not enough to handicap riflemen. Again the early shots had the best of the game, for the wind freshened as the shooting proceeded, and blew in gusts from the south-east, but died away in the afternoon. Cards showed bullies alternating with magpies, where marksmen who had got their elevation and gauged the wind were suddenly blown right away from the black. However, the first stage of the Jubilee was not void of possibles, for a Victorian, a Queenslander, and several locals pinked the black every time.

During the morning a visit was paid to the camp by the Minister for Defence, Mr. Cook, General Gordon, State Commandant; Colonel Wallack, of the Military Board; Major Wallace Brown, D.A.A.G. Captain Brand was staff officer for the day.

General Gordon met the officials of the rifle clubs in conference during the day, and explained the wishes of the department with regard to marksmen being brought to an all-round state of efficiency. The meeting, which was in camera, partook of the nature of a meeting of commanding officers. The State Commandant asked if there were any grievances, and various club captains participated in the discussion. The chief need appeared to be new rifles. With plenty of new rifles the officials contended that their membership and effectiveness would increase very considerably.

The Minister for Defence was entertained at dinner by the N.R.A. council, and occasion was taken to draw Mr. Cook's attention to the need for additional accommodation at the range.

Yesterday's shooting afforded some chance of estimating the calibre of the visiting marksmen. A Victorian carried off the honours in the Jubilee event, while two New Zealanders and two Melbournians were within 4 points of the winner. A Victorian and a Queenslander equalled the winner's score in the "Members."

Shooting in the Philip Charley Service Match, at the disappearing disc, W. B. Edye, of Orange, made eight consecutive hits on the 8in bull's-eye, at 300yds. This is a remarkable performance, and has not often been accomplished at Randwick. The whole target is only 18in in diameter and appears only for four seconds at a time.

THE SHOOTING.

The Jubilee Match, an entirely new event, went to a Victorian visitor, C. Matthews, of Jallukar, who beat H. Logan, of Narrabri, by one, and aggregated 100 points at the three distances. He notched the possible at the short range, dropped three at the 600 yards mound, and made a magpie with his third shot at 700 yards. The latter distance is generally reckoned by marksmen to be the most difficult of all ranges to shoot from. Old hands state that they do not remember ever having seen a possible scored at 700 yards. The bull's-eye is only 20 inches in diameter, and this is the longest range at which second-class targets are used. At the next range, 800, the 36in bull is requisitioned. On this occasion eight men just failed getting the possible by one point. Seven contestants scored the possible at the 300yds mark. The shooting throughout the match was exceptionally good, for scores averaging better than inners for three difficult ranges were counted out.

The shooting in the service events was also of a high standard. A. Dunrich, of North Sydney, gained three possibles in the Service matches. He got eight hits in the disappearing discs in the A and B grades, and then put his 10 shots into the running man. A couple of years ago Dunrich ran away with the Holmes aggregate, and he looks like repeating the performance. He is also a Queensland King's Prize winner. Ploughman, of Orange, got his eight hits in the Gordon at unknown ranges in the scrub. The B series of Service matches, in which there has been some fine sharpshooting, will close to-morrow.

In the Members A. J. McLeod, of Randwick, secured the honours with 47 out of a possible 50 at the difficult distance. Opening with an inner at 9 o'clock, his next was a magpie on the same side. Then he found the black and finished with a run of bulls. J. Searle (Vic.), Sergeant-Major Firman (Engineers), and Lieutenant Finlay (Q.), all shot well, and registered 47, but were counted out for first place.

C. MATTHEW'S TARGETS IN THE JUBILEE.

Seven shots at 300 yards. Seven shots at 600.





5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5—35. 5, 5, 5, 4, 5, 5, 3—32.

Seven shots at 700 yards.



5, 5, 3, 5, 5, 5, 5—33.

THE JUBILEE.

Seven shots each at 300, 600, and 700 yds; £10 10s donated by Messrs. Anthony Hordern and Sons.

	300.	600.	700.	Ttl.
£20 and Jubilee trophy—C. Matthews, Jallukar (Vic.)	35	32	33	100
£15—H. Logan, Narrabri	35	32	32	99
£10—C. G. Staff, Randwick	32	33	33	98
£7—T. Newton, Murrurundi	35	31	32	98
£5—W. James, Goulburn Ambulance	30	33	34	97
£4—C. E. Suttor, Hargraves	34	29	34	97
£4—J. L. Farthing, Mudgee	30	34	33	97
£4—Cpl. Patrick, N.Z.	34	31	32	97
£4—Pte. F. Swales, A.R.R.	32	34	31	97
£3—H. B. Jamieson, Parramatta	32	34	31	97
£3—W. J. Knilands, Billidalgel	35	32	30	97
£3—J. T. Sharpe, Glen Innes	31	32	33	97
£3—J. Searle, Melbourne	33	30	33	96
£3—A. Foster, Melbourne	31	33	32	96
£3—Sgt. C. Dewar, Otago (N.Z.)	32	32	32	96
£3—Arm.-Sgt. W. H. Cutler, A.R.R.	32	33	31	96
£3—H. W. Gibbins, Parramatta	29	32	34	95
£3—J. M. Johnson, Little Plain	30	31	34	95
£3—E. A. Campbell, Cobar	31	31	33	95
£3—E. W. Hearne, Randwick	31	31	33	95
£2—A. Cutler, Bathurst	31	32	32	95
£2—J. Lehman, South Australia	32	31	32	95
£2—Lieut. Toot, South Australia	33	30	32	95
£2—Clr.-Sgt. E. C. Faux, Kiama	33	31	31	95
£2—Sgt. P. Young, 4th A.I.R.	34	30	31	95
£2—F. Burgoyne, South Australia	32	33	30	95
£2—J. Macnaughtan, Melbourne	33	33	29	95
£2—R. Lonsdale, Dorrigo	33	34	28	95
£2—H. W. Durrant, Melbourne	34	33	28	95
£2—Capt. H. J. Neale, Penrith	30	30	34	94
£2—A. Schroter, Aberdeen	33	27	34	94
£2—A. E. Finney, Little Plain	33	28	33	94
£2—Secretary F. C. Young, Granville	30	32	32	94
£2—W. Webster, Randwick	30	32	32	94
£2—W. Warne, Sea View	31	31	32	94
£2—D. Scott, Sydney	33	29	32	94
£2—F. Le Maitre, Braidwood	33	29	32	94
£2—Arm.-Sgt. H. Motton, A.R.R.	34	28	32	94
£2—M. Irving, Yarrawonga	30	32	31	94
£2—R. Hughes, Warwick	31	32	31	94
£2—H. C. Lawson, Sydney	32	31	31	94
£2—F. S. Bleachmore, South Aus.	33	31	30	94
£2—O. E. Boyd, Murwillumbah	33	30	31	94
£2—Capt. H. G. Spencer, Narrabri	33	31	30	94
£2—J. Barclay, Darling Downs	32	32	30	94
£2—Cpl. J. A. Munro, Murihaku (N.Z.)	33	31	30	94
£2—H. Goy, Mount Morgan (Q.)	33	31	30	94
£2—J. J. Hammond, Randwick	33	31	30	94
£2—P. W. Mellor, South Aus.	34	30	30	94
£2—Cpl. M. Hannon, A.R.R.	34	30	30	94
£2—D. H. Mitchell, Randwick	34	30	30	94
£2—M. M'Namara, Adamstown	31	34	29	94
£2—T. Mahar, Allora (Q.)	32	33	29	94
£2—G. Howard, South Australia	33	32	29	94
£2—A. T. Huntley, Murrurundi	33	32	29	94
£2—F. T. Marsden, Sydney	34	31	29	94
£2—W. Platt, South Australia	34	31	29	94
£2—A. M'Leod, Randwick	32	34	28	94
£2—Cpl. H. Love, 2nd A.I.R.	33	33	28	94
£2—J. P. Lohmann, Laura	32	28	33	93
£2—C. Williams, Tasmania	31	30	32	93
£2—H. S. Mascord, South Sydney	30	32	31	93
£2—C. Craw, Chorlton (N.Z.)	31	31	31	93
£2—H. T. Garnsey, Sydney	33	29	31	93
£2—F. L. Longworth, Lower Manning	31	32	30	93
£2—D. R. Davies, Vic. Railways	32	31	30	93
£2—Sgt. Clyde, Otago (N.Z.)	32	31	30	93
£2—A. H. Garnsey, Signallers	33	30	30	93
£2—G. Holliday, South Australia	34	29	30	93
£2—F. G. Wright, Goulburn Ambul.	31	33	29	93
£2—O. Sharpe, Gerringong	31	33	29	93
£2—P. C. Hamilton, Sec., Gunnedah	31	33	29	93
£2—W. N. Stones, Parramatta	34	30	29	93
£2—C. H. Tomkins, Mudgee	34	30	29	93
£2—L. De Grandi, Warrnambool	35	29	29	93
£2—S. Mareuzi, Tpr., Eketahuna	30	35	28	93
£2—F. W. Turton, Eastern Subs.	34	31	28	93
£2—C. H. Jewel, Lt., 2nd A.L.H.	34	33	26	93
£2—O. Cole, Manly	29	28	35	92
£2—R. W. Beseigh, St. Arnauds	25	32	34	92
£2—W. Noller, Parramatta	28	32	32	92
£2—W. J. Strauss, Grafton	29	31	32	92
£2—W. J. Faux, Goulburn Rly. Amb.	30	30	32	92
£2—M. H. Cunningham, Penrith	30	30	32	92
£2—E. J. Blackmore, Police, Brisbane	32	28	32	92
£2—J. T. Lake, South Aust.	32	28	32	92
£2—E. G. Spencer, Aberdeen	32	28	32	92
£2—A. Pilbean, Tasmania	27	34	31	92
£2—J. Duncan, Randwick	30	31	31	92
£2—J. Cook, Cpt., Maitland	31	30	31	92
£2—J. Hutchins, Peak Hill	30	32	30	92
£2—G. Shaw, Brisbane	30	32	30	92
£2—L. Duly, Hillgrove	31	31	30	92
£2—S. A. Kefford, Bathurst	32	30	30	92
£2—J. C. Morrell, Melbourne	32	30	30	92
£2—J. L. M'Kay, Dubbo	32	30	30	92
£2—J. B. Thomson, Cpt., North Sydney	30	33	29	92
£2—T. Dunne, Randwick	31	32	29	92
£2—F. W. Tame, North Sydney	32	31	29	92
£2—P. Lawless, Sydney	32	31	29	92
£2—G. A. Turner, Jr., Nth. Melbourne	32	31	29	92
£2—P. Swinbourne, Cpt., South Sydney	33	30	29	92
£2—D. W. Stove, Newcastle	29	35	28	92
£2—T. H. Rixon, Murrurundi	30	34	28	92
£2—D. B. Tpr. Maher, 2nd A.L.H.	30	34	28	92
£2—J. T. Stinson, Millthorpe	31	33	28	92
£2—W. W. Pettigrew, Col.-Sgt. 2nd A.I.R.	32	32	28	92
£2—F. T. Barnes, Wallerawang	32	32	28	92
£2—J. A. Johnstone, Bendigo	33	31	28	92
£2—J. Worldon, Gundagai	32	33	27	92
£2—A. Campbell, Gerringong	32	33	27	92
£2—W. Golding, Tasmania	32	33	27	92
£1—A. A. Roberts, Tramway	33	33	26	92
£1—A. Mellican, Sth. Aust.	34	33	25	92
£1—A. M. Cooper, Randwick	30	27	34	91
£1—E. Cooper, Bourke	26	33	32	91
£1—W. Hobbs, Petone	30	29	32	91
£1—E. L. Dumont, Urana	30	29	32	91
£1—J. G. Hicks, Lismore	30	29	32	91
£1—A. A. Burgess, Ballarat	33	26	32	91
£1—T. Roberts, Sth. Aust.	29	31	31	91
£1—R. Parsons, Araluen	29	31	31	91
£1—Sgt. L. R. Daniels, Qald.	30	30	31	91
£1—H. A. S. Holliday, P'mta	30	30	31	91
£1—F. W. Priddle, Eastn. Subs.	30	30	31	91
£1—C. Murray, Peak Hill	31	29	31	91
£1—F. B. Fisher, Gulargambone	31	29	31	91
£1—F. W. L. Travers, Broken Hill	31	29	31	91
£1—H. Bake, Police, W.A.	32	28	31	91
£1—A. Grant, Post and Tel.	33	27	31	91
£1—J. P. Connelly, Rly. and Works	33	27	31	91
£1—Capt. King, N.Z.	29	32	30	91
£1—E. Edwards, Austn. Rifles	29	32	30	91
£1—A. Glover, Minyip	29	32	30	91
£1—P.O. H. Flukes, Naval Bge.	30	31	30	91
£1—E. F. Ferguson, Grafton	30	31	30	91
£1—E. E. Lowe, Boroondara	31	30	30	91

Twenty-five scores of 91 counted out.

A. J. McLEOD'S TARGET IN THE MEMBERS.

Ten shots at 700 yards.



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THE MEMBERS.

10 shots at 700 yds. First prize, donated by the British Pianoforte Depot; 140 prizes, totalling £175 10s.

1, £10 10s, A. J. M'Leod, Randwick, 47.
2, £7, J. Searles, Melbourne (Vic.), 47.
3, £5, Sgt.-Major J. Firman, R.A. Engineers, 47.
4, £4, Lt. T. Finlay, Brisbane (Q.), 47.

Two at £3: C. E. Suttor (Hargraves), Lt. A. F. Daniel, A.R.R., 46.

Nine at £2: J. O'Neill (Armidale), A. Leslie (North Sydney), R. Ford (Melbourne), D. H. Mitchell (Randwick), H. B. Jamieson (Parramatta), H. T. Garnsey (Sydney), W. James (Goulburn Railway Ambulance), S. O'Brien (Adamstown), C. Cross (Collingwood), 46.

One hundred and twenty-five at £1: J. Worldon (Gundagai), Pte. Masefield (New Zealand), J. W. Maxx (Sydney), J. Sheatim (Sydney), Col.-Sgt. Dewar (Otago, N.Z.), J. Barclay (Darling Downs), Capt. M. Fitzgerald (Goulburn), P. Heath (Gunnedah), Arm.-Sgt. H. Motton (A.R.R.), Lt. C. H. Coggins (Naval Brigade), M. Bryant (Peak Hill), H. Battishall (Sydney), L. Duly (Hillgrove), A. R. Stephenson (Randwick), O. Sharpe (Gerringong), J. Lehmann (South Australia), P. Ettinghausen (Parramatta), W. Galliford (South Australia), Lt. S. A. Long (Intelligence Corps), Capt. P. Swinbourne (South Sydney), F. Simper (Western Australia), H. Lander (Goulburn Rly. Amb.), R. A. R. Davidson (Hastings River), J. Campbell (Gerringong), G. L. M'Alister (Bethungra), F. A. Elworthy (Gundagai), F. S. Bleachmore (South Australia), A. T. Huntley (Murrurundi), S. Cooper (South Australia), 45; D. Davies (Victorian Railways), L. Knighton (Glen Innes), G. Howitt (South Australia), G. Shaw (Brisbane), Lieutenant J. Heane (2nd A.L.H.), Arm.-Sgt. W. H. Cutler (A.R.R.), H. S. Hendy (Randwick), H. Logan (Narrabri), D. Scott (Sydney), W. G. Rickwood (South Australia), R. Maclean (Randwick), C. Edwards (A.R.R.), J. Barclay (Darling Downs), F. Payne (Boolaroo), Sgt. L. R. Daniels (Queensland Rifles), Cpl. Patrick (N.Z.), C. E. Long (Albury), E. H. Quodling (Cooma), A. G. Kefford (Post and Telegraph), W. Gribble (Tramways), Sergeant A. E. Cotter (2nd A.I.R.), A. Cutler (Bathurst), A. M. Cooper (Randwick), Sgt. W. W. Pettigrew (2nd A.I.R.), M. Irving (Yarrawonga), T. Newton (Murrurundi), Tpr. S. Mareuzi (Eketahuna), 44; W. Hillier (Tumut), J. C. Oliver (Peak Hill), Capt. Addison (South Australia), H. Rutter (Parramatta), Capt. J. Sharpe (Gerringong), W. Bunting (Broken Hill), F. Matthews (Jallukar), A. Ferguson (Brisbane), E. A. Wright (Bathurst), Sec. H. M. Parsons (Wollongong), Sgt. E. J. Streatfield (A.R.R.), A. A. Roberts (Tramway), D. Hughes (Warwick), C. Fowler (Tramways), R. W. Ackland (Western Suburbs), W. J. Green (Parramatta), W. C. Coulter (Tramways), Pte. W. J. Chapman (A.R.R.), A. J. Nunn (Glen Innes), W. David (Western Australia), Lce.-cpl. H. C. Jones (Scottish Rifles), N. Bean (Tasmania), F. D. Harrison (Randwick), R. Lonsdale (Dorrigo), J. C. Morell (Melbourne), J. Skinner (Instructional Staff), W. Warne (Seaview), T. Bourke (East Maitland), R. H. Walker (Jamberoo), F. G. Langdon (Millthorpe), E. E. Koster (Sth. Aus.), A. Crease (Brisbane), P.O. H. P. Flukes (Naval Brigade), Cpl. H. Love (2nd A.I.R.), O. E. Boyd (Murwillumbah), J. Orr (North Sydney), A. E. Finney (Little Plains), E. C. Ellis (2nd A.L.H.), Major J. W. Scobie (4th A.I.R.), F. L. Longworth (Lower Manning), 43; H. H. Will (Temora), P. Lawless (Sydney), C. W. Robinson (Toowoomba), H. W. Durrant (Melbourne), G. Cole (Manly), P. R. Taylor (Dubbo), C. Matthews (Jallukar), W. J. Piggott (Tramway), C. H. Toukin (Mudgee), W. D. Denham (Quirindi), Pte. T. R. Hill (3rd A.I.R.), A. Jericho (Blyth), R. Ardaster (Parramatta), W. D. Evans (Parramatta), Gnr. E. Bernard (R.A.A.), Sgt. D. M'Calley (A.A.M.C.), R. W. Knox (Parramatta), J. Mackenzie (North Sydney), A. W. Parsons (Wollongong), G. Paul (Dubbo), C. Schultz (North Sydney), J. A. Johnstone (Bendigo), F. W. Cork (Milton), Capt. F. Evans (Millthorpe), Lieut. Toop (S.A.), F. Masters (Randwick), Sgt. M. Donellan (2nd A.I.R.), W. Sloane (Yarrawonga), F. W. Travers (Broken Hill), 42.

Twenty-six scores of 42 counted out.

CONTINUOUS MATCHES.

MORNING.

300yds.—S. Gentle, Mudgee, 23; W. Ayre, Gunnedah, 23—£1.

500yds.—H. Garnsey, Sydney, 28; W. H. Walters, Victoria, 28; J. K. Penderson, Q., 27; Lt. Hoane, A.L.H., Dubbo, 27—£1 each.

800yds.—J. Walker, Gerringong, 24; L. T. Watson, Gunning, 24; W. B. Suttor, Hargreaves, 23; Lt. Watson, Gunning, 23.

AFTERNOON.

300yds.—A. Foster, Melbourne, 25; E. J. Morris, Peak Hill, 25; H. Dawson, Mudgee, 25; F. L. Riley, W. Wyalong, 25; Arm.-Sergt. Clark, A.R.R., 24; F. L. Riley, W. Wyalong, 24; T. Urquhart, Melbourne, 24; W. H. Frew, Albury, 24; E. Rodder, Guyra, 24; F. C. Bolton, W. Suburbs, 24—£1 each.

500yds.—W. Warne, Vic., 29; W. Todd, Vic., 29; H. T. Garnsey, Sydney, 29; F. W. Tame, N. Sydney, 28; W. Linn, Orange, 28; A. Grant, Vic., 27—£1 each.

Revolver Match.—J. O'Neill, Armidale, 22; H. Flukes, Naval Brigade, 21, 20, 15; J. O'Neill, 18, 17; G. H. Riley, Bodangora, 17; J. T. Wearne, Manilla, 17; G. Lobsey, Cootamundra, 16—15s each. Aggregate, J. O'Neill, Armidale, 57—£1.

Aggregates.—Morning: 300yds, F. L. Riley (W. Wyalong), 71, Messrs. Hardy Bros.' trophy.

500yds: J. Cust (Murrurundi), 80, Messrs. Gordon and Gotch's trophy.

800yds, morning: J. Walker (Gerringong), and L. T. Watson (W. Wyalong), tie for Marshall's Brewery prize.

A couple of competitors were fined yesterday for being late on the firing line.

The Commonwealth Council of Rifle Associations of Australia will meet on Friday evening next at the Royal Hotel, Randwick. Amongst the subjects to be discussed is the question of sending an Australian team to Bisley next year.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The Jaques, 600yds, 7.45 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.
The Philip Charley, 9.30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
The Finn, 9.30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
The Gordon, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
The Frank Stephens, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
The Hutton, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
The Foskett, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
The Dudley, 800yds, 10.40 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.
The Newmarch, 1000yds, 2.30 to 6 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE SHACKLETON PICTURES.

"Nearest the Pole with Lieutenant Shackleton and the British Antarctic Expedition" is the title of a series of wonderful pictures, of which Mr. Charles Spencer has secured the exclusive rights for an Australasian tour. Yesterday afternoon a number of press people, and others interested in the subject, responded to Mr. Spencer's invitation to witness a trial exhibition of these biographic subjects before they are regularly introduced to the public at the Town Hall on Saturday next and the following three nights. One of the features which struck visitors yesterday was the completeness of the series. Without words they told the story of Shackleton's attempt to unfurl the British flag at the South Pole in a singularly direct and lucid manner. Incidents connected with the departure of the Nimrod from Lyttelton—and what a tiny, trim, and taut vessel she is beside the huge steamer that dwarfs her to the apparent proportions of a toy yacht—are followed by her arrival at the Antarctic, where the Manchurian ponies stretch their legs on the icefields, and the motor car drew stores from the ship. A most amusing stay is made amongst the penguins, whose dignified waddle at times suggests an almost human pomposity, and then, changing from the ridiculous to the sublime, Mount Erebus is shown in eruption. The Antarctic explorers also found companionship, as well as lamp oil and stewed steak, in the seals, whose antics on the ice illustrate the light side of Nature anew; and there are many pictures of the leaders and their men at work and asleep, cutting out stores after a blizzard, or sledging through the terrible drifts resulting from two successive storms of snow and sleet. Without further anticipating the rare interest of the series as a whole, it may be added that it shows the Shackleton party saluting the British flag 97 miles from the South Pole, and pursues their every movement until the arrival of the leader at Charing Cross Station, London.

LYCEUM—SPENCER'S THEATRESCOPE.

A strong programme of the latest films is drawing great audiences at the Lyceum, where Mr. Charles Spencer's Theatrescope Company presented their new pictures for the week before a crowded house on Saturday. One of the Gur films tells in a somewhat unexpected manner the story of "The Black Hand," an American secret society, which, in this particular instance, exerts its illegal influence with the most beneficial results by forcing a rich banker, who has been robbing his ward, to restore his illgotten gains to the youthful heiress. "A Dash to Death," "Hunting Big Game in South Africa," the comedy romance of "Sweet and Twenty," the scenic subjects of "Druids' Ruins," and a number of comic stories are included in an entertainment which is certain to sustain the interest always taken in the Lyceum changes.

MILITARY.

TAMWORTH, Monday.

Captain Brand, of the instruction staff, conducted the annual inspection of F Company, 4th Infantry Regiment, on Saturday. The company was under the command of Lieutenant Smith. Close order drill and field work were carried out. Captain Brand remarked that the company turned out especially smart, and the drill all through was good.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures the worst cold. Try it.—Advt.

BUILDINGS AND WORKS.

PROGRESS OF THE TRADE.

SYDNEY'S NEW MARKETS.

Within 12 months Sydney will be in possession of fruit, vegetable, and fish markets equal to anything of the kind in the southern hemisphere. These buildings are now being erected in what is known as Market-square, with frontages to several streets. The site is in the vicinity of the Haymarket, and is splendidly located, being in close proximity to the railway at Darling Harbour, whence a large quantity of the produce is received. It is also centrally situated for passenger traffic by rail and tramway. In fact, the site has the advantage of locating the whole of the trade in one convenient centre, and at the same time removing it from the busy thoroughfare. The buildings are being erected in three sections. Contracts for the first and second sections have already been let. These are for the fruit and vegetable markets, while the tenders for the third section, that of the fish markets, will be dealt with by the City Council to-night. For number 1 section the contract price was originally £36,675, but at a later date, owing to the destruction by fire of Madeley's furniture warehouse, it was made possible to acquire an increased area of land, and the enlargement of the building to cover this additional area was carried out at schedule rates, involving a further expenditure of something like £8000. The contractors for this section are Messrs. John Howie and Sons, and the work was commenced in February last, but the excavations and demolition of existing structures occupied some considerable time, and it was therefore not until April 26 that the foundation stone was laid. Since then the work has been pushed on with great rapidity. The superstructure is now complete. The "saw tooth roof" is in position, and there is every prospect of the building being ready for occupation about the middle of next month. The taking in of the additional land and thus adding to the size of the market has made a considerable improvement in the quantity of floor space available for vegetables. As pointed out in this column at the time the first contract was let, the space shown in the first set of plans was inadequate. It was no more than the present space in the old Belmore Markets, and did not provide for the rapidly growing population of Sydney. But the destruction by fire of premises adjoining the original site opened up the way to accomplish all that was required. The building, as far as architectural beauty is concerned, is by no means pretentious, but the fruit store and the vegetable market are buildings of usefulness rather than for a display of classical architecture, and so the council, while providing an up-to-date market, erected with every modern convenience and comfort, has wisely refrained from spending money on a grand exterior. A plain brick building, with internal steel construction work, and a small tower at the main entrance are the main features of the market. However, the plan is on such a scale that the work of both purchaser and vendor will be greatly facilitated by the new arrangements, and while the carters will be able to drive through and back their vehicles against the stalls, the purchaser can move along between the two rows of stalls, and examine the goods with comfort at close range. Light and ventilation have been fully studied. Everything has been included in the contract that will provide markets possessing new and workable ideas, an improvement on the other States.

About a fortnight ago the same builders signed the contract for building No. 2 markets, and the work is to be completed within 32 weeks, at a cost of £30,586, so that in May of next year the fruit and vegetable markets will be ready to hand over to the council. If the aldermen should accept a tender to-night for the erection of the fish markets, at a cost of a little under £12,000, and which, according to plan, will be a very fine block of buildings, then Sydney will have expended within 18 months on a block of markets over £87,000. One of the great advantages to be gained by the erection of these markets will be the demolition of that unsightly structure known as "Paddy's Market."

GENERAL NOTES.

Mr. John Reid, architect, has completed drawings for a large private hospital, to be known as "Claymore," to be erected at the corner of Liverpool and Bourke streets. In the same office the time has been extended until 14th inst., at noon, for the erection of the British Medical Association's headquarters in Elizabeth-street.

Mr. A. G. Newman, architect, is preparing plans for two Methodist churches, one to be built at Dungog, on the North Coast railway, and the other at Lakemba, which is the first station past Belmore on the extension of the Belmore railway line.

A number of alterations are to be made to the approaches to Pyrmont Bridge, with a view of making the grade easier.

A school for aboriginals is to be built at Cumeroogunga.

Among the tenders which close in the Public Works Department on November 1 are those for two important contracts. The first is the new building for the Registrar-General's Department, and the other is for the erection of the admission and administrative blocks for the Hospital for Insane at Kenmore.

In the office of Messrs. Power and Adam, architects, tenders close for three residences at Woollahra on the 14th inst., and drawings are being prepared for a large store at Pyrmont, a warehouse in Kent-street, new banking premises at Grafton, additions to office premises in the city, and a reinforced concrete water tank and tower.

In the offices of Mr. Bertram W. Ford, architect, plans have been prepared for a new fever ward in connection with Burrowa Hospital, and for additions and alterations to two residences at North Sydney, and for new business premises at Manilla. Tenders have also been received for renovations to business premises at Barraba.

Tenders close on Monday next for the completion of the Penitentiary at Long Bay.

Fresh tenders, returnable on Monday next, are called for the erection of station buildings on the Narromine to Peak Hill railway.

General repairs are to be carried out at the Ordinance Stores, Circular Quay. This building is now one of the oldest in Sydney. It was erected in Governor Macquarie's time.

Fresh tenders are called, returnable on 25th inst., for the erection of a composite truss bridge over Towamba River, at Sturt-road, Towamba to Pericoe.

A new telephone exchange is to be erected at the post-office, Burwood, and additions are to be made to the telephone exchange at Chatswood.

Messrs. Slatyer and Shields are preparing plans for a cottage residence at Glebe Point and a factory at Newtown.

In the office of Mr. W. M. Nixon, architect, drawings have been completed for a cottage residence at Beecroft. Plans are also in course of preparation for a shop at Drummoyne, and for a two-story residence at Beecroft.

Mr. J. T. M'Carthy, architect, has plans in hand for an extensive residence on the Parramatta River.

The Commonwealth Government is calling for tenders from persons willing to sell in the vicinity of the Haymarket a site suitable for the erection of a post and telegraph office. The closing date has been fixed for 25th inst.

Mr. Burcham Clamp, architect, is preparing plans for a semi-detached residence at Woollahra.

Tenders close to-morrow in the office of Mr. R. Louat, architect, for two cottages at Cremorne.

CONTRACTS.

During last week contracts were let as follows:—

Leura.—Additions, painting, and renovations to a residence. Mr. Bertram W. Ford, architect. Mr. W. J. Knight, builder.

Drummoyne.—Erection of six cottages. Mr. Bertram W. Ford, architect. Mr. Leary, builder.

Parramatta.—Additions and alterations to shop and dwelling, Church and Phillip streets. Mr. C. H. Summerhayes, architect. Mr. H. Hooper, builder.

Sydney Hospital.—Additions to the Out-patients' Department at the Sydney Hospital. Messrs. Robertson and Marks, architects. Mr. W. J. Henley, builder.

City.—Additions and alterations to a warehouse, George and Wynyard streets. Messrs. Robertson and Marks, architects. Mr. W. Noller, builder.

Pymble.—Additions and alterations to a cottage residence. Mr. G. W. Durrell, architect. Mr. C. C. Newton, builder.

City.—Alterations and additions to premises, O'Connell-street. Mr. T. J. Darling, architect. Mr. J. J. Ramsbotham, builder.

Darling Harbour.—Alterations to premises. Mr. E. A. Scott, architect. Mr. C. Stewart, builder.

City.—Additions and alterations to premises in King-street. Mr. E. A. Scott, architect. Mr. C. Stewart, builder.

Lane Cove.—Erection of two cottages. Mr. J. T. M'Carthy, architect. Mr. R. P. Blundell, builder.

City.—Excavations of foundations in rock at Kent-street. Messrs. M'Credie and Anderson.

Paddington.—Alterations, renovations, etc., to a terrace houses, Glenmore-road. Messrs. Sheerin and Hennessy, architects. Mr. A. Montgomery, builder.

City.—Extensive additions and alterations to Warrigal Club, Macquarie-street. Messrs. Slatyer and Shields, architects. Messrs. Stuart Bros., builders.

Haymarket.—Erection of extensive business premises in Hay-street. Messrs. Slatyer and Shields, architects. Messrs. Stuart Bros., builders.

City.—Erection of a warehouse in Kent-street. Mr. E. A. Scott, architect. Messrs. Baxter and Hepburn, builders.

Mosman.—Re-erection and extension of St. Luke's Church of England. Mr. Burcham Clamp, architect. Mr. H. J. Dyson, builder.

TENDERS.

Marrickville.—Erection of two brick cottages, Victoria-road and Calvert-street. Mr. Ambrose Thornley, architect, Grand Hotel, Rockdale.

North Sydney.—Erection of a brick residence. Mr. P. J. Ward, architect, Parramatta-road, Annandale.

Chiswick.—Quarrying stone and building bath, dressing-room, fencing, etc., for Mr. P. O'Neil. Mr. J. Frank White, architect, 94 Pitt-street.

Nyngan.—Erection of two brick cottages at the Nyngan Demonstration Farm. Tenders close 20th instant. Plans with the Department of Agriculture, Bridge-street, Sydney, or at the Petty Sessions office, Nyngan, and the Lands Board Office, Dubbo.

City.—Additions and alterations to the Seamen's Mission for the Rawson Memorial Institute for Seamen. Messrs. Kent and Budden, architects, 120 Pitt-street.

Gilgandra.—Erection of a bank at Gilgandra for the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited. Messrs. Kent and Budden, architects, 129 Pitt-street.

Parramatta.—Additions and alterations to 17 shops. Messrs. Kent and Budden, architects, 129 Pitt-street.

City.—Alterations, etc., to a hall, George-street. Messrs. Morrow and De Putron, architects, Moore-street, City, and St. George's Hall, Newtown.

Newtown.—Painting, etc., to a terrace of houses. Messrs. Morrow and De Putron, architects, Moore-street, city, and St. George's Hall, Newtown.

Cremorne.—Erection of three residences. Mr. Rutledge Louat, architect, 369 George-street.

Wollstonecraft.—Erection of a cottage. Mr. Rutledge Louat, architect, 369 George-street.

City.—Erection of a warehouse in Sussex-street. Messrs. Power and Adam, architects, George and Wynyard streets.

Centennial Park.—Erection of a pair of semi-detached Villas, Cook-road. Mr. W. A. Wachmann, architect, 27 King-street.

City.—New shop front and other additions to a butcher's shop, 416 Elizabeth-street. Plans at 414 Elizabeth-street.

Randwick.—Erection of six brick cottages. Mr. Bradley, Fairlop, Cook-street, Randwick.

Alexandria.—Erection of two brick cottages. Plans at 20 Copeland-street, Alexandria.

City.—Erection of two additional stories, and also making numerous alterations, to the Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited, George-street. Messrs. Anketell and K. Henderson and Mr. A. F. T. Somerville, joint architects. Plans at Mr. Somerville's office, 62 Margaret-street. Quantities by Mr. J. Dunwoodie.

Pyrmont.—Erection of a destructor at Pyrmont for the City Council. Tenders close December 8. Plans at the office of the city surveyor, Town Hall, Sydney.

Condobolin.—Erection of an operating theatre at the Condobolin District Hospital. Plans with Mr. Burcham Clamp, architect, Pitt-street, city, or with the secretary of the hospital at Condobolin.

Campsie.—Erection of a brick cottage. Plans at 61 Mansfield-street, Bald Rock, Rozelle.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT WORKS.

Canterbury.—Erection of a bridge over Cook's River, at the foot of Beamish-road. Plans with town clerk of Canterbury.

Newtown.—Woodblocking, King-street, from the Newtown railway bridge to St. Peters railway station. Plans with the town clerk of Newtown.

Picton.—Grading, forming, and metalling a portion of Argyle-street, about 31 chains. Tenders close 18th instant with the acting town clerk of Picton.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.

Tenders have been accepted for the following Public works for the week ended 9th instant:—

Government Architect's Branch.—Erection of a cottage for maintenance man at Narrandera, Murrumbidgee Northern Canal—Dixon and Butterworth, Hay, £960; repairs and alterations to post office, Rockdale—J. M'Donald, Leichhardt, £35; installation of electric light in new mining museum building, George-street North, Sydney—Sydney Electrical and Engineering Company, Sydney, £174; alterations to bookcases at Mitchell Library, Sydney—J. Connolly, Woolloomooloo, £437 12s; preparation for the occupation of the chemical and assaying branch of the Sydney Mines Department, of the top floor of the new mining museum, George-street North, Sydney—Chas. M'Carthy, Mosman, £798.

Roads and Bridges Branch.—Dorrigo branch road, Kempsey district—J. F. Shipman, Eastern Dorrigo, £484; road Laverty's Gap toward Cooper's Creek, Ballina district—C. Buckley, Lismore, £559 10s; Doon Doon Creek-road, Ballina district—M. Taggett, Murwillumbah, £794.

Railway and Tramway Construction Branch.—Construction of terminal arrangements for steam tramway from Wallsend to West Wallsend, including permanent way and fencing, car and engine shed, coal stage, tank stand, etc., supply and laying of water and gas services at Wallsend, construction of tank stand, and supply and laying of water service at West Wallsend—C. Baker, Waratah, schedule rates.

Harbours and Water Supply Branch.—Supply and delivery of leather sleeves for suction and delivery pipes of sand pump dredgers from October 9 to June 30, 1910—J. C. Ludowici and Sons, Ltd., Sydney, schedule rates.

Tenders for the following works were opened by the tender board of the Department of Public Works:—

Alterations and fencing, Public school, Darlinghurst—seven tenders—Brown and Moffat, £144, lowest. Providing and fixing wire guards to windows, Australian Museum—five tenders—Sanson Wire Netting Company, £20 1s 6d, lowest. Repairs and painting post office, Dulwich Hill—seven tenders—J. D. Haron, £28 17s 6d, lowest. General repairs, military buildings, Wollongong—two tenders—H. Williams and Company, £38 10s 3d, lowest. General repairs, magazines, Goat Island—three tenders—J. M. Dean, £34, lowest. General repairs, etc., to residence and Public school, Mulgoa—seven tenders—F. Oades, £87, lowest. Repairs to post office, Dapto—six tenders—Stead and Son, £35, lowest. Tarpaving, etc., Public school, Forest Lodge—five tenders—D. McDonald, £54, lowest. Repairs, etc., Public school, Eglinton—two tenders—F. H. Archer, £194 15s, lowest. Repairs and painting, police station, Pyrmont—nine tenders—H. Kishee, £22 10s, lowest. Repairs and renovations, Public school, Stanmore—nine tenders—J. Glachan, £65, lowest. General repairs and improvements, Public school, Waterloo—three tenders—to be reported upon. Painting, etc., police station, Kiama—seven tenders—H. A. Bagles, £45 8s, lowest. Lease of Public watering place at Farnecoat tank, road Broken Hill to Menindie—two tenders—to be reported on. Lease of public watering place at Mulga tank, road Brewarrina to Byrock—one tender—to be reported on. Lease of public watering place at Paldramata bore, road Wilcannia to Milparinka—one tender—to be reported on. Lease of public watering place, at Polygonum hut tank, road Booligal to Mossgiel—three tenders—to be reported on.

TRADES AND LABOUR.

BUILDERS' LABOURERS.

James Baxter, a master builder, gave the Builders' Labourers' Board last night some evidence from the employers' point of view.

He had had experience, he said, in Victoria, as well as in New South Wales. In Victoria builders' labourers got from 7s to 8s a day. The wages here were practically the same. Ordinary labourers were paid 7s, concrete hands 8s, and bricklayers or hod-carriers 9s. Sometimes 10s was paid, but that would be to a man who was something more than an ordinary labourer, who would go round perhaps at night and see that all was well. Ordinary scaffold hands did not get 10s. He had had some experience in Adelaide, too. They had had some of the best bricklayers' labourers there at 7s a day. But he would not say 7s was the ruling rate there; perhaps there had been a bit of a lull on then. Things were booming in Adelaide now; the trouble was to get men.

The Sydney hod-carriers were as fine a class of men as you could see anywhere. "Splendid men," he said; "I've got some of them, if not all of them, myself." Some men could take concrete, pick and shovel work, or anything that came along, but those were the sort you paid 10s to. It would not be right at present to pay all builders' labourers 1s 3d an hour. Hod-carriers had to work very hard, but it was different with the others. It would be absurd to put them all on anything like the same footing. The board ought to leave the classification out, and let the hod-carriers deal themselves with the contractors. Classification would only cause worry. Sometimes hod-carriers had to carry for as far as 30 feet, but that was an exception. As to the claim that not more than a certain number of bricks should be carried in a hod or a barrow, that ought not to be set down at all. It should be left to the men's own judgment. To compel employers to pay the men's fares to work would only cause trouble between the local men and those whose fares were paid. If an employer was not tied down in all these ways suggested, the men would be much better treated. He would have no objection to making insurance compulsory, provided the men paid their share. There was no preference to unionists in Melbourne. The building trades were not under the wages board system there, and there was perfect harmony between the men and their employers. He did not believe in preference. "Why should I ask a man whether he belongs to a union or not?" said he. "If he wants a job he gets it, if he's any good. If not, he doesn't."

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

MONTHLY MEETING.

The monthly meeting of the Senate of the University of Sydney was held yesterday, the Chancellor (Sir Normand MacLaurin) presiding.

The degree of Bachelor of Law was conferred upon Mr. A. W. Ralston, and that of Bachelor of Engineering upon Mr. S. Dennis. Letters were received from the Agent-General for New South Wales reporting the steps taken towards the appointment to the chairs of law and agriculture, and reporting also the despatch from London of the P. N. Russell memorial. A letter was received from Dr. C. J. Martin, F.R.S., reporting the appointment of Dr. Anton Breinl as Director of the Australian Institute of Tropical Medicine. A letter was received from the Commonwealth Government reporting the appointment of Dr. Norris, Director of Quarantine, as representative of the Government on the committee of advice of the Australian Institute of Tropical Medicine.

An offer from Professor Carslaw of a prize of the value of two guineas for the subject of astronomy in connection with the first-year course being delivered by Assistant Professor Moors was accepted. A letter and report from Mr. G. G. Nicholson, assistant lecturer in French, on the teaching of modern foreign languages in schools, was read, and instructions were given for the report to be printed for circulation.

A letter was received from the Queensland Department of Public Instruction requesting the University to conduct an examination for teachers seeking admission into Class I. It was resolved that the request be granted, and it was referred to the professors concerned to carry out the details of the examination.

Professor MacCallum reported the resignation of Mr. E. G. Waterhouse as temporary assistant lecturer in the Department of Modern Literature in consequence of his appointment to a position in the Sydney Grammar School. Mr. Christopher Brennan, M.A., was appointed permanent lecturer in the Department of Modern Literature.

On the recommendation of the board for conducting the public examinations the following examiners were appointed for the forthcoming senior public examinations:—History of Europe, Professor Wood and Mr. H. Treec; geography and geology, Professor David, Dr. W. G. Woolnough, Mr. W. S. Dun, Mr. W. R. Browne, and Miss F. Cohen; ancient history, Latin and Greek, Professor Woodhouse, Acting Professor Todd, Mr. C. Brennan, and Dr. L. H. Allen; mathematics, Professor Carslaw, Mr. Newham, and Mr. Moors; English, French, and German, Professor MacCallum, Mr. G. G. Nicholson, Mr. J. le G. Brereton, Dr. L. H. Allen, and Mr. C. Brennan; chemistry, Professor Fawsitt, Assistant Professor Schofield, and Mr. E. Gilbert Wright; physics, Professor Pollock and Mr. O. U. Vonwiller; botany and zoology, Professor Haswell and Mr. S. J. Johnston; physiology, Professor Stuart and Dr. H. G. Chapman; applied mechanics and geometrical drawing, Professor Warren and Mr. A. J. Gibson; surveying and astronomy, Professor Warren and Mr. J. H. Cardew; freehand and model drawing, Professor Warren and Miss Ethel Stephens; music, Mr. H. Maclean and Mr. E. P. Truman.

FIRE AT REDFERN.

Owing, it was supposed, to the careless use of matches, a fire broke out yesterday in the residence of John Daniel, Thurlow-street, Redfern. The brigades were summoned, but the flames were extinguished by the inmates with buckets of water prior to the arrival of the M.F.B. A bedroom on the ground floor was badly damaged by fire.

ROBBERY AT LEICHHARDT.

During Sunday afternoon jewellery and trinkets to the value of £7 were stolen from the residence of Mrs. Sarah Gold at 77 Burdett-street, Leichhardt. The occupants of the house were absent, and the thief gained admission through a back window.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—Oct. 11.

Narrung, s, 5078 tons, Captain Millington, from London, via Capetown, Adelaide, and Melbourne, with passengers as per list published on Saturday last. Gilchrist, Watt, and Sanderson, Limited, agents.

Wyreema, s, 6338 tons, Captain J. E. Meaburn, from Cooktown, Port Douglas, Cairns, Townsville, Bowen, Mackay (Flattop Island), Rockhampton (Keppel Bay), and Brisbane, en route to Melbourne. Passengers—Saloon 114, second saloon 88, in addition to 51 saloon and 22 second saloon through passengers for Melbourne—total 275. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Arawatta, s, 2114 tons, Captain William C. Thomson, from Melbourne, en route to Cooktown, via Brisbane and ports. Passengers—Saloon 44, steerage 43; total, 90. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Beulah, s, 632 tons, Captain Johnson, from Wangaparapara, N.Z. Geo. Hudson and Son, Ltd., agents.

Ophir, R.M.S., 6814 tons, Captain Healey, from Brisbane. David Reid, agent.

Moorabool, s, 2296 tons, Captain Mills, from Melbourne. Howard Smith Company, Ltd., agents.

Burwah, s, 2210 tons, Captain Robinson, from Rockhampton and ports, via Brisbane. Howard Smith Company, Ltd., agents.

Ellerslie, s, 252 tons, Captain Lucy, from Eden. Allen Taylor and Co., Ltd., agents.

Uralla, s, 97 tons, Captain C. Anderson, from Bellinger River. Allen Taylor and Co., Ltd., agents.

Peterborough, s, 159 tons, Captain Willis, from Shoalhaven. Illawarra and South Coast S.N. Company, Ltd., agents.

Australic, s, 4659 tons, Captain Huldtgren, from Gothenburg, via Durban, Adelaide, and Melbourne. Birt and Co., Limited, agents.

Oct. 12.

Barwon, s, 2986 tons, from Melbourne and Geelong. Huddart, Parker, and Co. Proprietary, Ltd., agents.

Archer, s, 604 tons, Captain Nilsson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and H.R. S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

DEPARTURES.—Oct. 11.

Moorabool, s, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.
Ennerdale, s, for New Zealand.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—Oct. 12.

Surrey, s, for London and Liverpool, via ports; Atua, s, for Fiji, Tonga, Samoa, and Auckland; Kapunda, s, for Melbourne, Adelaide, and W.A. ports; Paloona, s, for Hobart; Burwah, s, for Rockhampton, via Brisbane and ports; Wyreema, s, for Melbourne; Arawatta, s, for Cooktown, via Brisbane and ports; Nourebar, s, for Coff's Harbour, via Newcastle; Yulgilbar, s, for the Macleay River, via Newcastle; Orara, s, for Byron Bay, via Newcastle; Ramornie, s, for Richmond River; Kallatina, s, for Clarence River; Hunter, s, for Newcastle; Karuah, s, for Port Stephens, Bulahdelah, Myall Lakes, Karuah River, Stroud, and Booral; Peterborough, s, for Shoalhaven River, Berry, Nowra, and Bomaderry; Woy Woy, s, for Gosford, Wyong, and Brisbane Water; Hawkesbury, s, and Kallatina, s, for Hawkesbury River; Commonwealth, s, for Camden Haven, Laurieton, Kew, and Kendall.

CLEARANCES.—Oct. 11.

Moorabool, s, 2296 tons, Captain Dunsford, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

ENTERED OUTWARD.—Oct. 11.

Castor, bq, for West Coast, via Newcastle; Burwah, s, for Rockhampton, via Brisbane; Pericles, s, for Brisbane; Wakatipu, s, for Launceston, via Eden; Niwaru, s, for London, via Auckland.

MOVEMENTS OF OVERSEA STEAMERS.

Marmora, R.M.S. (P. and O. service), from Sydney, bound to London, arrived at Plymouth on Friday last.

Dorset (Federal-Houlder-Shire line), sailed from Liverpool on Saturday last for Sydney and Brisbane, via Adelaide and Melbourne.

Walton Hall (American and Australian line), left New York on Wednesday for Sydney, via ports.

Somerset (Federal-Houlder-Shire line), from Sydney, via ports, bound to London and Liverpool, passed Perim on Friday last.

Ionic (Shaw, Savill, and Albion Company's line), sailed from Capetown on Friday last, en route from London, bound to Wellington and Lyttelton (N.Z.), via Hobart.

SCHARNHORST AT FREMANTLE.

The German mail steamer Scharnhorst, of the fleet of the Nord-deutscher Lloyd, from Bremen, Antwerp, and Southampton, bound to Sydney, arrived at Fremantle at 11.20 on Sunday night, and sailed again at 12.30 p.m. yesterday for Adelaide. Her passengers are:—

Miss M. S. Edge, Dr. Robert Heindl, jun., Captain J. Vine Hall, Mr. A. Wunderlich, Mrs. Wunderlich, Master Frank Wunderlich, Master Charlie Wunderlich, Mr. Hermann Reichardt, Mr. W. Sands Hill, Mrs. Hill, Mr. Albert Stohp, Mr. Eugen Poltzer, Dr. Muller, Mrs. Muller, Mr. Eugen Krabler, Mr. Franz Bitomsky, Mr. R. V. B. Laxley, Mr. W. J. Overrell, Mr. J. G. Scholer, Mr. O. M. Scholer, Mr. A. Leplastrier, Mrs. Leplastrier, Mr. John Leplastrier, Miss Ruth Leplastrier, Mr. W. Griffiths, Mrs. Griffiths, Mr. J. R. Thompson, Mr. E. Koch, Miss Mathilde Pauch, Mr. Ed. Starick, Mr. A. B. Nickisson, Mr. H. Pauch, Mr. G. Kurtz, Miss Mokham, Miss Corwell, Rev. E. Frese, Mrs. Frese, Mr. E. Hailey, Mrs. Hailey, Miss Hailey, Mr. Rex de Cairos Rego, Mr. A. Knipers, Mrs. Knipers, Mrs. Emma Graumann, Mr. W. Mate, Mrs. Mate, Mr. Richard Pallour, Mr. G. Eppl, Mrs. Eppl and two children, Mrs. Snowfoot, Mr. Vincent Braham, Mrs. Braham and infant, Dr. Gaetano Alagna, Mrs. Alagna, Mrs. Delmer, Miss D. Delmer, Miss Mabel Delmer, Mr. R. F. Tancred, Mrs. Tancred.

THE AURORA VIEWED AT SEA.

The second officer of the steamer Inveran, Mr. Charles Logan, writing to friends in Sydney, describes the display of Aurora Australis, as viewed at sea, on the 26th and 27th inst., while on a voyage from Sydney to Albany. He says:—"It began to appear about 10.30 p.m. on the 26th, and many were the colours that appeared at various intervals till 1.30 a.m. on the 27th, when it showed itself in all its wondrous movement and colour. It started with huge streaks of white lights shooting across the heavens, and gradually worked upwards until it reached the zenith. It then resembled a glowworm of extraordinary proportions, and zig-zagged across the sky. Tongues of white light then appeared shooting upwards, coming, it seemed, from the sea. Then, as if a red limelight were thrown on the scene, the whole heavens from horizon to zenith, and from east to west, appeared a vivid red. Gradually the colour changed. It was red at the zenith, changing into a blue, then white, until at the horizon the colour was of a yellowish-green tint."

SAILING VESSELS DUE.

The following sailing vessels are now due at Sydney:—
Casablanca, bq, from Hokianga—12 days.
Letizia, bq, from Marseilles—101 days.
Mersey, sh, from Liverpool—89 days.

BAR HARBOURS.

The following telegrams were received last night as to the conditions of the bar harbours:—Nambucca Heads, bar straight out, 8ft 6in high water, rise of tide 2ft 8in; Cape Hawke, bar 7ft 3in high water, morning tide; Manning Heads, bar 10ft, 9ft inside bar inner channel, 8ft crossing; Tweed Heads, too much sea to sound bar; Ballina, bar 9ft crossing, 11ft low water.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

THURSDAY ISLAND (2000m).—Dep: Oct. 9, Rippingham Grange, s, for Brisbane.

GOODE ISLAND (2000m).—Passed: Oct. 10, Umta, s, from Sydney, bound to Calcutta.

CAIRNS (1400m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Innamincka, s, from Melbourne.

TOWNSVILLE (1370m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Bingera, s, and Nikko Maru, J.M.S., both from Brisbane. Dep: Taiyuan, s, for Brisbane.

BOWEN (1225m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Hopewell, s, from Maryborough.

KEPPEL BAY (877m).—Dep: Oct. 11, Bombala, s, for Brisbane; Aramac, s, for Cooktown.

ROCKHAMPTON (920m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Gayundah, gunboat, from Brisbane. Oct. 11, Time, s, from Brisbane. Dep: Oct. 10, Timaru, s, for Iron Island. Oct. 11, Konnurs, s, for Brisbane.

MARYBOROUGH (680m).—Dep: Oct. 11, Tinana, s, for Bundaberg.

BRISBANE (500m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Warrego, s, from Burketown, Cooma, s, Malina, s, Suffolk, s, Moresby, s, Aillinga, s, and Outeniels, s, all from Sydney. Dep: Moresby, s, for the Solomon Islands.

TWEED HEADS (374m).—Oct. 11, Mokau, s, Duroby, s, Duranbah, s, and Friendship, s, all anchored in the bay. Passed: Oct. 11, a two-masted steamer at 10 a.m., north.

BYRON BAY (345m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Cavanba, s, at 7.45 a.m., from Sydney.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (331m).—Arr: Oct. 11, City of Grafton, s, at 3 p.m., Brundah, s, at 4.15 p.m., Macleay, s, at 4.20 p.m., all from Sydney.

CLARENCE HEADS (296m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Kyogle, s, at 9.20 a.m., from Sydney.

COFF'S HARBOUR (240m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Dorrigo, s, at 8 a.m., from Sydney.

MACLEAY RIVER (209m).—Dep: Oct. 11, Myee, s, at 8.30 a.m., for Sydney.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: Oct. 11, one of Langley Bros.' steamers, at 6.30 a.m., north.

PORT MACQUARIE (174m).—Dep: Oct. 11, Hastings, s, at 6 a.m., for Sydney.

TACKING POINT (169m).—Passed: Oct. 11, Nerong, s, at 2.10 p.m., south.

CROWDY HEADS (147m).—Passed: Oct. 11, Hastings, s, at 11.30 a.m., south.

PORT STEPHENS (85m).—Passed: Oct. 11, Stormking, s, at 12.30 p.m., Karuah, s, at 3 p.m., both south.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Karuah, s, from Port Stephens; Moorabool, s, Duckenfield, s, Kiltobranks, s, all from Sydney; Tarcoola, s, from Port Pirie; Australia, sch, and Garnet, s, both from Lake Macquarie. Dep: Oct. 11, Stormking, s, for Port Stephens; Cooloon, s, Archer, s, Karuah, s, Bovic, s, all for Sydney; Boambee, s, for Manning River.

LAKE MACQUARIE HEADS (54m).—Dep: Oct. 10, Galgabba, ktch, at 4 p.m., for Sydney; Garnett, s, at 8 a.m., for Newcastle.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS (74m).—Dep: Oct. 11, Peterborough, s, at 6.35 a.m., for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Passed: Oct. 11, a large steamer with yellow funnel, black top, at 12.35 p.m., Alabama, s, at 2.15 p.m., Barwon, s, at 3.20 p.m., all north.

NAROOMA.—Dep: Oct. 11, Wandra, s, at 6.30 p.m., for Sydney.

BATEMAN'S BAY (134m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Moruya, s, at 3 p.m., from Sydney.

GREEN CAPE (215m).—Passed: Oct. 11, Barrabool, s, at 7 a.m., Coolgardie, s, at 10.30 a.m., both north.

GABO (238m).—Passed: Oct. 11, one of the Howard Smith Company's strs, at 5.4 a.m., north; one of the Howard Smith Company's strs, at 2.10 a.m., west.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (420m).—Passed inward: Oct. 11, Glaucus, s, at 10 a.m., Romford, s, at 5.20 p.m.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Cooeyanna, s, from Adelaide; Werribee, s, India, R.M.S., Riverina, s, Peregrine, s, Hector, s, and Salamis, s, all from Sydney; Empire, s, from Japan, via Sydney. Dep: Oct. 11, Loongana, s, for Launceston; Kyarra, s, for Sydney.

LAUNCESTON (500m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Warratea, s, and Karitane, s, both from Melbourne.

ULVERSTONE.—Arr: Oct. 11, Toroa, s, at 7 p.m., from Melbourne.

STRAHAN (698m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Kakapo, s, at 11.40 a.m., from Sydney.

BURNIE (519m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Warrigal, ktch, at 1.25 p.m., from Melbourne.

ADELAIDE (1069m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Hobart, s, from the eastern States; Komata, s, from New Zealand; Marloo, s, from the eastern States. Dep: Oct. 11, Ormuz, R.M.S., for the eastern States; Needles, s, for Hamburg.

PORT PIRIE (1238m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Paringa, s, from Adelaide. Dep: Oct. 9, Port Caroline, s, for Antwerp, via ports, Period, s, for Newcastle. Oct. 11, Paringa, s, for Port Adelaide, via Gulf ports.

EDITHBURG.—Dep: Oct. 10 Ullis, s, for Sydney.

ALBANY (2100m).—Dep: Oct. 11, Strathdon, s, for Antwerp.

FREMANTLE (2466m).—Arr: Oct. 10, Scharnhorst, G.M.S., at 11.20 p.m., from Bremen and Southampton. Oct. 11, Osterley, R.M.S., at 5.5 p.m., from the eastern States; Thuringen, s, at 9.15 p.m., from Antwerp. Dep: Oct. 11, H.M.S. Psyche, at 11.10 a.m., for Adelaide; Scharnhorst, G.M.S., at 12.30 p.m., for the eastern States; Nyora (new tug for Huddart, Parker, and Co. Proprietary, Limited), at 7.25 p.m., for the eastern States, en route from Glasgow.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

HOKIANGA.—Dep: Oct. 11, Helen Denny, bq, and Daniel, bq, both for Sydney.

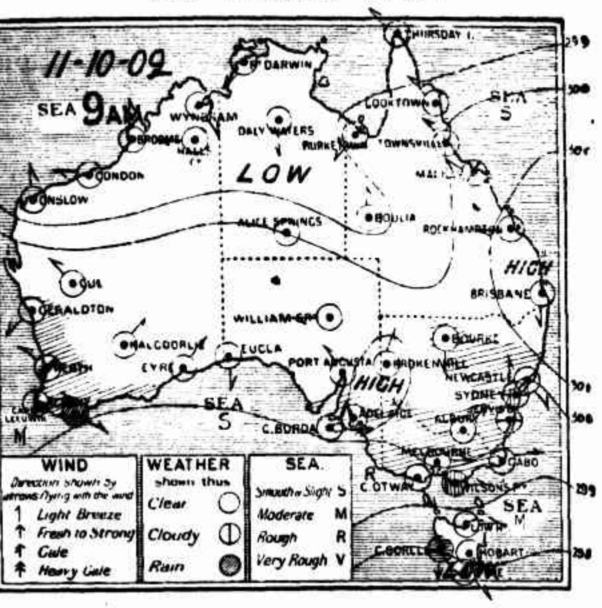
WELLINGTON (1239m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Kurow, s, from Newcastle. Dep: Oct. 11, Loderer, s, for Newcastle.

LYTTELTON (1374m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Seigran, bq, from Port Esperance (Tas.).

BLUFF (1107m).—Arr: Oct. 11, Moeraki, s, from Hobart. Dep: Oct. 11, Warrimoo, s, for Melbourne.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



The extensive low pressure area which on Saturday covered the western half of the continent had moved to the south-east, and on Monday morning was situated south of the mainland between Adelaide and the Bluff (N.Z.). A monsoonal depression is also in evidence over the northern portion of Australia.

Ocean Forecasts.—Squally and rough in the straits and on the west coast of Tasmania.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Monday.

Sydney rainfall, average annual for 50 years, 48.28 inches.

Average rainfall for 51 years, from January 1 to end of September, 3967 points.

Total from January 1, 1909, to date, 2506 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1908, 4242 points.

Barometer: At 9 a.m., 30.012; at 3 p.m., 30.018; at 9 p.m., 30.122.

Temperature: At 9 a.m., 70.8; at 3 p.m., 66.7; at 9 p.m., 62.8. Maximum, 70.8; minimum, 65.9.

Humidity: At 9 a.m., 73; at 3 p.m., 79; at 9 p.m., 86.

Wind: Greatest velocity, 23 miles from the south.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

The rainfall records of New South Wales (for the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m.) appear in another column.

RAINFALL DISTRIBUTION.

New South Wales (for the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m.).—Light to moderate rain has been recorded generally south of a line joining Bourke and Port Macquarie, 119 points at Kosciusko.

Victoria.—Light to moderate rain recorded south of Ranges, and in north east; light elsewhere.

South Australia.—Light to moderate rain recorded south of Farina, but very scattered north of Quorn.

Western Australia.—Light to moderate rain recorded in south-west and south, very light at scattered places on the fields.

Queensland.—Light to heavy rain recorded on north-east coast.

Tasmania.—Light to moderate rain recorded almost generally, to heavy in the north.

CONDITIONS AT 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Clear in southern districts west of highlands and in north-eastern corner; otherwise cloudy to overcast, with showers at few places southern coast and tablelands and north-west plains.

Victoria.—Showery at Wilson's Promontory, otherwise fine throughout; scattered clouds south of ranges and in north-east, clear elsewhere.

South Australia.—Fine throughout, cloudy along south and south-east coast, mostly clear elsewhere.

Western Australia.—Generally overcast in south-west, mostly fine elsewhere.

Queensland.—Cloudy along coast north from tropic and round gulf, overcast to raining lightly in extreme south-west, otherwise chiefly clear.

Tasmania.—Showery on west coast, otherwise fine but cloudy.

BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 30.03; Geraldton, 30.04; Perth, 30.10; Esperance Bay, 30.06; Eucla, 30.04; Streaky Bay, 30.06; Adelaide, 30.10; Robe, 29.99; Portland, 29.93; Melbourne, 30.04; Wilson's Promontory, 29.94; Cape St. George, 30.03; Newcastle, 29.97, Port Macquarie, 30.10; Clarence Heads, 30.16; Brisbane, 30.17; Rockhampton, 30.13; Mackay, 30.07; Cooktown, 29.95.

TEMPERATURES.

Sydney (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.), maximum 94, minimum 65.9; Perth, 66, 54; Adelaide, 68, 46; Melbourne, 67, 43; Brisbane, 84, 63; Hobart, 63, 41.

RIVER REPORTS.

The heights above summer level of the inland rivers at 9 a.m. on Monday were as follow:—Albury, 6ft 10in; Balranald, 15ft 5in; Bingara, 3ft 6in; Boggabilla, 1ft 10in, f; Booligal, 12ft, f; Bourke, 11ft 10in, f; Brewarrina, 12ft 2in, f; Collarenebri, 4in, f; Condobolin, 2ft; Cowra, 3ft 10in; Dubbo, l; Euston, 29ft 3in; Forbes, 3ft 6in, Goodooga, l; Gundagai, 6ft; Gunnedah, l; Hay, 7ft 1in; Hillston, 7ft 9in, f; Kunopia, l; Louth, 16ft 6in, f; Manilla, l; Menindie, 16ft 9in; Moama, 26ft 11in; Mogil Mogil, 2ft 10in, f; Moulamein, 9ft 8in; Mungundi, 7ft, f; Narrandera, 12ft 11in, f; Pooncarie, 16ft 9in; Tilpa, 17ft 9in, f; Tocumwal, 12ft 4in; Wagga Wagga, 8ft; Wentworth, 22ft 3in; Wilcannia, 19ft, f; Yetman, l; Barwon River, at Walgett, 14ft, f; Namoi River, at Walgett, 7ft, f.

Note.—R, rising; f, falling; s, stationary; l, low.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 8 P.M.

Tweed Heads, N, strong, fine, sea rather rough; Byron Bay, N, strong, cloudy, sea moderate; Ballina, N, strong, fine, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, NE, moderate, cloudy, sea slight; Manning Heads, NE, moderate, cloudy, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N, light, showery, sea smooth; Newcastle, S, light, fine, hazy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Barranjoey, E, light, cloudy, hazy, sea smooth; South Head, SE, light, cloudy, sea slight; Wollongong, S, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Kiama, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, SE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Ulladulla, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Moruya, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Eden, N, light, cloudy, misty, sea slight; Green Cape, N, light, cloudy, misty, sea slight; Gabo Island, ENE, moderate, cloudy, hazy, slight.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—Fine in south-western quarter, otherwise unsettled and muggy generally, with scattered rain and thunderstorms; variable winds, some squalls likely.

Victoria.—Cloudy and isolated coastal showers, otherwise fine generally; south-westerly to north-westerly winds.

Queensland.—Fine and warm to hot generally, occasional seaboard showers and isolated thunder inland; easterly to northerly winds.

South Australia.—Showers in the south-east, otherwise fine and warmer generally; westerly to north-westerly winds.

Western Australia.—Cloudy, showery weather contracting to the extreme south-west and south coast, and becoming generally fine; cool south-westerly winds in south and warm south-easterlies in northern half.

Tasmania.—Cloudy generally, with showers partial to west coast; squally westerly winds.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR OCTOBER 12.

Sun rises 5.19, sets 6.4; Moon, 4.40 a.m., 3.59 p.m.; Mercury, 5.15 a.m., 6.13 p.m.; Venus, 7.17 a.m., 9.29 p.m.; Mars, 4.7 p.m., 4.42 a.m.; Jupiter, 4.37 a.m., 4.29 p.m.; Saturn, 5.59 p.m., 5.42 a.m.

High Water at Fort Denison 7.12 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

New Moon, October 14, at 6.13 p.m.

COUNTRY NEWS.

THE CHURCHES.

GLEN INNES, Monday.

The new Roman Catholic Church was opened on Sunday in the presence of a large number of people. Pontifical High Mass was celebrated by Dr. Murray, Bishop of Cooktown, Dr. O'Connor, Bishop of the diocese, and a number of clergy from surrounding centres taking part. Special music was provided. Dr. Murray preached the dedication sermon, Bishop O'Connor delivering an address at the evening service. The total expenditure in connection with the church was £4700. The collection at Sunday's service totalled £585, leaving a debt of about £1500 on the building.

GRAFTON, Monday.

The Rev. C. W. Moon and Mrs. Moon were entertained at a basket social by the congregation of the Baptist Church, on Thursday evening, and presented with a purse of sovereigns prior to their departure for Brisbane.

THE HOSPITALS.

DUNGOG, Monday.

The annual collection for the Dungog hospital was made on Saturday last. Collections for the town amounted to £67 13s. Returns from outlying centres are not yet to hand.

WEST MAITLAND, Monday.

The Hospital Saturday collections received till to-day totalled £307 10s.

SHEEP-SHEARING CONTEST.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

A sheep-shearing contest at the Trades Hall attracted six competitors. Each man shore three sheep, and the contest was won by Holohan, who finished in 8m 51s. Potter was second and Daley third.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

LISMORE, Monday.

At the Lismore Assizes, Acting-Justice Docker pronounced the following sentences:—Joseph Melville, who pleaded guilty to forging, six months' hard labour; James Fitzgerald, who pleaded guilty to forging an order for goods, having been incarcerated three weeks awaiting trial, was sentenced to one day in Grafton Gaol, and to pay from money in his possession the value of the goods obtained.

GUNNEDAH, Monday.

The Gunnedah Quarter Sessions were opened on Thursday. Judge Gibson presided, and Mr. Bevan was Crown Prosecutor.

Harold James M'Clintock, recently a clerk and ticket-seller at the railway station, was charged with embezzlement, found guilty, and sentenced to one year with hard labour in Goulburn Gaol.

Harry Wilson, charged with inflicting grievous bodily harm, was acquitted.

Herbert Freeman, arraigned for stealing in a dwelling, was found guilty, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard labour in Parramatta Gaol.

Charles Cooke pleaded not guilty to stealing a gelding at Narrabri. The jury disagreed. Accused is to appear when called upon for trial.

Kooam Eli was charged with having assaulted and robbed Polo Mae of £32. The jury acquitted him without leaving the box.

BELLINGEN, Monday.

Bush fires are raging all around the district, and have created heavy loss in some instances to timber-getters. At Hydis Creek Mr. A. Butler had 150 railway sleepers, valued at about £12, burned, and Mr. S. M'Neil lost 40 in the same manner. On the South Arm Mr. H. V. Wood lost 12 girders, valued at about £20. The atmosphere in every direction is filled with smoke, and will not be clear until rain comes.

A stranger named Frank Clarke was charged at the police court with stealing £4, the property of A. Black. Evidence was given that Mr. Black had counted some money at his hotel preparatory to banking it. He was called away, and on returning found it £4 short. The police followed accused, and found him depositing it in a post hole. Clarke refused to be summarily dealt with by the local Bench, and was therefore committed to Grafton Quarter Sessions.

BULAHDELAH, Monday.

At a meeting of the Bulahdelah Progress Committee, Mr. J. Titcumbe, president, and Mr. C. J. Stocker, secretary, were appointed delegates to represent Bulahdelah in the district progress committee's conference, to be held in Bulahdelah on the 16th inst.

DUNGOG, Monday.

About 300 men are at present working on the second section of the North Coast railway. The big camp is situated at the foot of Cherry Tree Hill, a few miles from Dungog, where a side cutting is being pushed on. Preparations are in progress for a start at Stroud Hill tunnel. Other work is also being proceeded with at various points. Buildings at headquarters at Washpool for the managing staff are being erected. A post and telegraph office will also be established on the spot, Mr. Willcocks providing the attendants.

Mr. Willcocks has forwarded a donation of £40 to the Dungog Cottage Hospital. It is also his intention to collect sixpence per week per man for medical attendance, and provide patients with a ticket for each visit of a doctor. Any surplus will be devoted to the hospital.

GRAFTON, Monday.

During the past 12 months the Dorrigo Shire expended £10,570 on road works. The number of roads and streets improved was 127, with a length of 712 miles. There are 119 bridges and four ferries in the shire.

At a meeting at Corrimal last month a resolution was carried by 25 votes to two "That the post-office should be reverted back to a semi-official one, and that Mr. Ford, who has been acting-postmaster for the past 12 years, should not be thrown out to make room for any other individual."

WOOL SALES IN OTHER STATES.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The second of the season's wool sales began at the Wool Exchange this morning. There was a full muster of buyers, who had an excellent selection of fleeces. The total offerings amounted to 23,870 bales, compared with 17,239 bales last month, and 27,741 bales at the second series of sales in 1908. The wool represented to-day came for the most part from early districts, and as such was best suited to Continental requirements. Good wools sold equally as well as at the first sale, and when the full force of the Bradford Continental, and American competition was felt prices ranged up to and over 1/ per lb. Super combing ewes of Kulnine clip brought /12½, as compared with /9 last year; super combing wethers realised /12, against /8½ last year; first combing ewes realised /9½. Certain wools suitable for America and top lines fancied by the Continent sold remarkably well. As regards medium and inferior fleece, and anything showing faulty get up, the market was distinctly easier. Buyers are in the temper just at present to pick and choose, and this they are doing to the detriment of the wool enumerated. For these Monday's rates must be given as from 5 per cent. to 10 per cent. easier, and in some instances more.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The wool sales were resumed to-day, when Dalgety and Co., Ltd., and Younghusband, Row, and Co. Proprietary, Ltd., brought forward catalogues, which included some 7700 bales. The selection embraced many well-known clips from the Darling, Broken Hill, Deniliquin, and Hay districts. The more or less fatty condition, together with the reduced limits and in some cases, cancellation of buying orders, was not conducive of high prices. For the few choice lots that took the fancy of American buyers, opening rates were still forthcoming, as they were for the better class of comebacks and crossbreds. But, apart from such, prices for all other descriptions were fully 5 per cent. below those of last week.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 9 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 3.45 p.m.
Macassar, Sourabaya, Samarang, Batavia, and Padang, via Brisbane.—Elbing, 3.45 p.m.
Manning River.—Electra, 11 a.m.
Hobart (direct).—Paloona, 11 a.m.
Macleay River.—Yulgilbar, 11 a.m.
Wardell (R.R.)—Ramornie, 1 p.m.
Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens.—Karuah, 5 p.m.
Valparaiso, via Newcastle.—Dalmore, 5.15 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per R.M.S. India, 5.30 p.m.
R.M.S. India (letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide and Fremantle.—R.M.S. India, 5.30 p.m.
Dunedin, etc. (N.Z.), via Melbourne.—Moana, 5.30 p.m.
Hobart, via Melbourne.—Moana, 5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Loongana, 5.30 p.m.
Fiji, Samoa, and Tonga (direct).—Atua, 6 p.m.
Coff's Harbour and Coff's Harbour Jetty.—Noorebar, 8 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kallatina, 9 p.m.
Byron Bay.—Orara, 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Auckland, etc., N.Z. (direct).—Wimmera, 11 a.m.
Noumea and Vila (New Hebrides) direct.—Pacifique, noon.
Launceston, via Eden.—Wakatipu, 3 p.m.
Eden.—Wakatipu, 3 p.m.
Manila and Zamboanga, via Newcastle.—River Clyde, 3.45 p.m.
Valparaiso, via Newcastle.—Bankdale, 3.45 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and North-west Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Oonah, 9 p.m.

INCOMING MAILS.

The English mails by the Orient S.N. Company's R.M.S. Ormuz, bearing the date of London, September 10, will, it is expected, reach Sydney in time for the delivery of letters from the G.P.O. at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The American mails by the steamer Mariposa, transhipped at New Zealand to the steamer Ulimaroa, will arrive at Sydney to-day.

The Continental mails by the G.M.S. Scharnhorst will, it is anticipated, be received in Sydney in time for distribution on Monday next.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures the worst cold. Try it.—Advt.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A heavy volume of business was effected on 'Change yesterday, generally at firm rates. Commercial Banking Company of Sydney shares rose 5/; Port Jackson Steam, 2/; Union of New Zealand, /3; Toohey's Brewery, /1½; Colonial Sugar, 10/; Standard Waygood, contg., /6; Sargent's, /6; while Bellambi Coal eased 1/3.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: A.J.S. Bank "B" Deposits, 11/10½; United Insurance, £6/15/; Union Steamship, 34/6; Bank of New South Wales, £50/5/; Sargent's, Limited, 30/; Dalgety and Co., £6/3/6; Commercial Banking Company, £30/15/; Union Bank, £66/5/; Tooheys, Limited, 14/3, 14/4½; Mercantile Mutual Insurance, 17/9; Colonial Sugar, £48/10/; Standard Waygood (contg), 26/; Bellambi Coal, 46/0. Afternoon.—Bank of New South Wales, £50/5/; Port Jackson Steam, 59/; Mercantile Mutual Insurance, 17/9; Goodlet and Smith, 19/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 56/6.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Amount of Shares.	Shares Paid Up.	Last Div. Per Annum.	Price. Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.	Yield to Investor.
STOCKS.							
N.S.W. F.S., due 1912	..	..	3	84½	84	85½	3½
Do., due 1912	..	..	3½	97½	..	97½	3¾
Do., due 1912	..	..	4	100½	100	100½	3½
Do., due 1924-5	..	..	4	90½	90½	..	3½
Do., due 1915	..	..	3½	96½	96	..	4
Do., due 1921	..	..	3½	98½	98	97	3½
Do., due 1923	..	..	3½	99½	99	..	3½
Do., Act 1873	..	..	4	104	104	..	3½
Do., Debentures	..	..	4	..	107	109	3½
D. T. Bls, 1911	..	..	3½	99½	98	..	4
Ditto, 1910	..	..	4	100	100	..	4
N.Z. Deb., 1916	..	..	4	100	..	100	4
Ditto, 1921	..	..	4	101	..	102	3¾
Q. Deb., 1913	..	..	4	101½	..	101	3¾
Ditto, T. Bills	..	..	4	100½	100	..	3½
Aus. Gas D., '22	..	..	4	101½	101	102½	3¾
City Syd. Deb.	..	..	4	102	101	..	3½
Col. Sugar, D. '14	..	..	5	106	105	..	3½
BANKS.							
Australasia	40	40	14	112½	112	..	4½
Bank of N.Q.	7	2	5	40/	..	41/	5
City of Sydney	8	8	3	80/	80/	81	6
Ditto, new	10	8	3	75/	..	76/	6½
Com. of Aus.	10	10	..	10/	11/	..	..
Ditto, pref.	10	10	3	5 14/8	5/14	6	5½
Com. of Sydney	25	12½	10	30½	30½	30¾	4
Nat. Aust., ord.	8	5	5	5½	5 /26	..	4½
Ditto, pref.	10	10	5	..	12½	..	5
N.S.W.	20	20	10	50½	50½	50¾	4
New Zealand	6⅔	3⅓	12½	9/3/	9	9½	4½
Q'land National	5	3	..	17 1½	..	17/6	4
Royal of Q.	9	6¾	4	5/8/	..	5/8/3	4½
Union	75	25	14	66¼	66¼	66½	5¼
DEPOSITS.							
A.J.S. Bank—Class B.	..	..	3	11 10½	11/9	12/	5
Class B., 1917	..	..	3	12/	11/6	..	5
Class B., 1912	..	..	3	13/	11/9	..	4½
Ditto, Inscr.	..	..	3½	11/6	11/9	..	6
Com. of Aus. Assets	..	..	3	17/9	17/6	..	3½
E. S. and A. Inscr., pref.	..	..	3	12/6	12/6	..	4½
Ditto, Def.	..	..	4½	17/7½	17/6	..	5
Ditto, Deb.	..	..	4	17/9	17/6	..	4½
Q'land National	..	..	3½	17/2	16/9	..	4
STEAM.							
Adelaide S'ship	1	1	10	38/	37/6	..	5¼
Bal. N. Ferry	1	1	10	32/6	31/9	32/3	6¼
H. Smith, ord.	1	1	15	46/9	46/9	..	6½
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	21/3	21/	..	6½
Illawarra	1	15	7	19/6	17/	18/	5½
Newcastle	1	1	6	23/9	..	24/	5
North Coast	1	17/6	8	27/	26/9	..	5½
Port Jackson	1	15/	10	59/	58/	..	5½
Sydney Ferries	1	1	12½	74/	73/	74/	3½
Union of N.Z.	1	1	8	34/6	34/	..	4½
INSURANCE.							
A. M. Fire	1	15/	14	45/	45/	..	4½
Col. Mutual	1	1	12½	60/9	62/	..	4½
Mer. Mutual	1	6	16¾	17/9	17/6	18/	5½
New Zealand	10	2	10	78/	76/	79/	5
Queensland	1	10/	8	16/3	16/	..	5
United	10	2½	12½	5½	5½	5¾	4½
GAS.							
Albury	1	12/6	10	22/6	21/	..	5½
Australian	6	6	15	19½	19½	20	4½
Do., new issue	6	3	15	11½	11	11¼	4½
Charters Towers	10/	10/	10	14/9	..	10/	..
Goulburn	1	1	15	54/6	54/6	..	5½
Grafton	1	1	10	32/	31/	..	6
Katoomba-Leura	1	1	6½	20/	21/	..	6
Maitland	5	5	8	8½	8½	..	4½
Manly	1	1	9	45/	45/	..	4
Ditto, new	1	15	9	40/	40/	40/	4½
Mudgee	1	1	7	25/	24/	42/6	..
Newcastle	2	2	15	7	7	6½	4½
North Shore	1	1	8	41/3	41/3	42/3	4
New issue	1	1	8	23/6	22/6	..	5
South Brisbane	10	10	10	..	..	..	..
Ditto, pref.	10	7	10	..	21/	..	..
BREWERIES.							
C. and W. Bros.	1	1	7	10/6	10 1½	10/6	6½
Perkins'	1	17	20	39/6	..	39/	5
Toohey's	1	16/	10	14/4½	14/3	14 4½	5½
Tooth's	1	1	10	44/6	44/3	44/6	4½
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Aarons' Ex. Htl.	15/	..	5	5/6	5/3	..	7
A. Taylor, Co.	1	1	10	28/	27/6	..	7
Aus. Hat Mnf.	1	1	..	..	26/	..	..
Aus. Newspaper	1	1	..	..	..	6/10	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	..	..	14/	5
B.H. W. Supply	15/	15/	10	17/	16/6	16/3	5½
Brooks, W.	1	1	8	..	..	26/6	6
Burns, Philp	1	1	10	46/6	43/	..	4½
Ditto, 10/ paid	1	1	10	43/9	43/	25/	4½
Col. Sugar	20	20	10	48/½	48½	48½	4½
Dalgety, Co.	20	5	10	6/3/6	6/3/	..	4
Dunlop R. pref.	1	1	8	23/	22/	30/	6
Ditto, ord.	1	1	9	14/3	..	14/9	6
Eno R. Rail.	1	1	..	4 10½	..	2/9	..
Farm. Co., P.M.	1	16	10	21/	..	15/	6
F. Rich, Co.	1	1	6	16/	..	13/	7
Goodlet, Smith	15	15	8	19/6	..	19/6	6½
H. Jones, Dep.	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Ditto, contg.	1	1	7	15	26/	..	5
Hotel Metropole	1	10	7	12/9	12/6	12/9	5
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	25/	26/	..	..
H. M'Kenzie	1	1	6	1 1/2	25/	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	8	21/3	23/	..	..
M. Clark, Co.	1	1	10	24/9	24/9	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	8	20/3	..	..	..
Melb. Tram	1	10/	8	33/1½	41/	42/	4
Mont de Piete	1	1	6	41/6	40/	41/	5
Mort's Dock	1	1	8	24/	23/	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	8	21/	..	..	..
N.S.W. F.F.L.	12	10	12½	11 4!	11/3	11/7	5
Paul and Gray	1	1	10	21/6	21/	31/	5
Perdriau, A.	1	1	10	31/	30/	31/	5
Ditto, B.	1	1	10	30/	30/	31/	5
Perm. Trust	5	2/6	10	5/1	..	5/1	5
Perp. Trust	10	5	10	12/7½	11/6	12/	3½
Pitt, Son, Bad-gery	1	12	10	20	19/6	20/6	6
Q. Meat Ex.	1	1	3	..	23/	..	..
R. H. Gordon	1	1	10	..	22/6	31/	5
R. and Wrench	1	1	10	14/6	14/6	..	6½
Stan. Waygood	1	1	10	27/	26/6	27/6	5
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	10	16/	15/	16/	6½
Sargents, Ltd.	1	1	10	30/	29/9	..	6½
Sly, Trams	1	1	40	96/	96/	99/	4
Syd. Cyclorama	1	1	..	15/6	16/	18/	6½
Sydney Exch.	10	10	6	£12/8	12½	..	4½
Syd. Hydraulic	1	1	10	24/9	23/	25/	8
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	10	11/6	11/	12/	8½
S. Hy. and G.E.	1	15/	11½	23/6	23/6	..	..
W. H. Soul	1	1	15	50	50/	..	6
Wright, Heaton	2½	2½	..	..	50/	..	..
Wunderlich	1	1	8	..	24/9	25/6	..
Ditto, contg.	1	1	7	..	15/6	16/6	..
LAND and BD.							
Haymarket	..	..	..	..	25/	..	..
Indus. Prov.	20	20	6	18	18	..	6½
Inter. Inv.	1	15/	12½	31/	30/	32/6	6
Newcastle Bldg.	..	..	..	23/	22/6	25/	..
S. Aus. L.M.	7	1	5	..	10/	..	..
COAL.							
Abermain	1	18/6	15	31/3	30/	..	8½
Bellambi	1	1	17½	46/9	46/9	47/	7½
Caledonia	10	10	10	12½	12½	..	8
East Greta	1	1	10	28/	28/3	..	7
Heddon Greta	1	1	..	5/	4	7/6	..
Hetton	5	5	6	77/6	20/	77/6	7½
Metrop., 1 pref.	1	1	8	21/6	21	..	7½
Ditto, 2 pref.	1	1	5	12/9	12/6	13/3	7½
Ditto, Trust	1	..	..	6	..	1/6	..
Mt. Keubla	10	10	18	25½	25	..	7
Newcastle	11	10	5	6½	6/7	6 11/6	8
North Bulli	1	1	10	23/	24/	30/	8½
Seaham	1	1	6	..	..	26/	..
South Greta	10/	10/	..	12/	11/9	..	..
Vale of Clwydd	1	1	10	35/	..	34/	5½
Wallsend	10	10	20	27½	27½	27¾	7½
Waratah	6	..	..	..	1	..	..
W. and R. Is.	1	1	..	13/	13/6	14/6	..
Ditto, new	1	16/	..	16/	11/	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	..	26/6	32/	..	..

* Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-yearly one. * Plus annual payments of 16/8 per cent. ‡ Cum dividend. ‡‡ Ex dividend.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

BRISBANE, Monday.

Sales:—Victorian Fire Insurance, 55/.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

To-day's Exchange sales were:—Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 56/; Melbourne Tram, 40/9; Silverton Tram, £4/19/; Broken Hill Water, 20/.

FINANCIAL.

TRUSTEESHIP AND LIFE ASSURANCE.

An interesting paper was recently read by Mr. Joseph Button before one of the American life assurance conventions upon the subject of "The Mutualising of Stock Companies." The particular point brought out is the trust character of the business. In part, the paper read:—

Apparently there is every reason why not only the trustees of a mutual company, but the directors of a stock company, issuing policies promising to manage the funds and business for and divide the profits among the policyholders, should be held to be trustees for the policyholders, and every duty imposed by law on trustees should be exacted of a company so as trustee handling the funds entrusted to their management and trusteeship by policyholders.

A guardian or executor is not allowed to mingle the funds of his ward or estate with investments or enterprises of his own, and the obvious reason for this applies with equal force to a company, whether mutual or stock, entrusted by policyholders with the care and management of their funds designed to be kept invested in interest-paying securities for the purpose of paying death losses and returning the surplus in an equitable distribution to policyholders.

From the very nature of the business, of course, a life insurance company cannot issue policies for profit to the company and policies promising profits or surplus to policyholders without a complete commingling of the funds and business of both. Guardian or an executor must keep strict book account of the trust fund, showing at all times the condition of the trust fund. This duty, if exacted of a company issuing both participating and non-participating policies, would be impossible of performance because of the impossibility of segregating expenses; of keeping receipts from two classes in separate investments; the work of keeping mortality of each class separate, and the immense complexity of any large company's accounts, even though only one kind of business is transacted.

Apparently, however, it has been decided by the courts that a life insurance company is not a "trustee" for its participating holders.

Therefore it would require positive legislation to forbid a company issuing both kinds of policies. Such legislation is desirable, and should forbid a stock company issuing participating policies and forbid mutual companies issuing non-participating policies. This would be in exact accord with the nature of each company. A stock company is organised for profit, and the profit is designed, as in other corporations, for stockholders. A mutual company has no stockholders and none pecuniarily interested in the profit or welfare of the company except policyholders.

Some persons are of the opinion that it would have been better if no mutual company had ever been permitted existence in this country; that if insurance corporations for profits only had been tolerated, dealing at arms' length with policyholders, charging stated premiums, and promising exact sums; that competition in life insurance would then have been like competition in every other kind of business, and that much of the criticism against life insurance, attributable to the false promises of future dividends to policyholders, would have been avoided.

There are others who hold that the business of life insurance from its very nature should not be made the means of individual gain or profit to those who engage in it; the ideal which all life insurance companies should strive to realise is to obtain for their policyholders the largest returns on the safest basis and at the least cost, and that this ideal cannot be realised by any company in which a body of stockholders stands between the policyholders and the earnings.

The ideas here promulgated are interesting, though we may not agree with them in every particular. There is no doubt, however, that they afford food for reflection.

NEW ZEALAND BANKING RETURNS.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Monday.

The banking returns for the September quarter show an excess of deposits over advances amounting to £2,808,413 compared with the corresponding figures of last year.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

At yesterday's wool sales 8537 bales were offered, 7541 bales being disposed of under the hammer and 1104 bales privately.

Good wools were well maintained, but medium and faulty sorts were fully 5 per cent. lower.

The Seat of Government Acceptance Bill, the measure empowering the Federal Government to take over the Federal capital area, in determining any compensation that the owner of any land may be entitled to in the event of resumption, provides that it shall not exceed the value as on October 8, 1908.

So owners of land in the Federal area would never know exactly where they stood.

The value of their land in the market might be very much in excess of the price which the Government would pay in the event of resumption.

The object of the clause is of course to abolish the unearned increment.

It would, however, be bound to create difficulties in connection with mortgages and other encumbrances.

M. Polatsek, Ltd., has been registered, with a capital of £5000, in 1000 preference shares, and 4000 ordinary shares of £1 each, to carry on the business of soap and candle makers at Cootamundra.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

The most active line was turpentine, which advanced 2d per gallon, first-hand being quoted at 3/9 ex store and on. This meant 3/11 to 4/ on a distributing basis. Considerable business was effected at the late rates, several hundred cases having been lifted off the market. Linseed oil was very firm at the quotations, which held good for oil on spot and to arrive November. White-lead improved a further 10/ per ton on the other side, and holders sought to reflect the improvement locally. Jute values were maintained. Cornsacks were very firm at 5/ for spot and near arrivals, and woolpacks easily commanded 2/3. Branbags were in active demand, and sold firmly at 3/8. Fencing-wire had substantial attention on the part of town houses, and they now rest on a somewhat firmer basis. Chemical values ruled steadily on spot. Soda ash stocks on spot were very light, and firmly held. Brunner Mond caustic soda had nearly all passed into users' hands, and shipments afloat had been sold to arrive. With the approach of the summer, chloride of calcium was in good demand, and fair business was done to arrive. Spot stocks were light. The market was relieved of some of the spot stocks of silicate of soda, shipments of Crosafield's having been made to other States and New Zealand. The demand for caustic potash for soft soap-making is increasing. The duties having practically put an end to the importation of ready-made soaps of this description. Wheat was firmer. In the general produce markets maize was better. Forage lines were dull. Butter was quiet, and hams were dearer. Pollard was advanced to £5/10/ per ton as from to-day.

SUPPLIES OF MAIZE.

The maize market is commanding most of the attention in the produce trade at the present time, owing to the fact that stocks are rapidly diminishing and prices are increasing. Supplies from the northern rivers have during the last three weeks been arriving in much smaller quantities than since the last three or four months. Including this week's shipment, it is estimated that there are only 5000 bags on the North Coast wharfs. Last week's draw easily exceeded this amount. There is a big demand from England for South African maize, so that merchants do not expect anything like the shipments that came to hand last year from that source. Not expecting any big recovery in the supplies from the rivers merchants have been testing the neighbouring markets. They find that Queensland is very lightly stocked, and is quoting 3/11 f.o.b. Brisbane, whereas our price increased /1 yesterday to 4/. Wallangarra maize is not offering to Sydney buyers, as it is all wanted for the Brisbane consumption. The following letter received yesterday from a leading Melbourne firm will show the state of the Victorian market:—"We have nothing to go upon to guide us as to actual quantity available for export, but the quantity cannot possibly be large, as the Lindenow district is pretty well finished. Certainly there is maize to come along from the Snowy River, but we do not think there would be more than 30,000 or 40,000 bags, or, say, 50,000 at the outside, and there will be no new maize crop available until next June. Our market would never have come back but for the lots offering from Africa and Java. We think, however, that the merchants who imported this grain have lost money, as directly it came on our market the price of local stuff dropped 1/ per bushel, and now that this stuff is sold the market is firming again; but if there is another attempt made to import them holders of Victorian maize will become sellers.

"We believe there is a big crop of maize in Africa, but we also understand there has been an exceptional demand from the United Kingdom, and that very heavy sales have been made. You must also bear in mind that the bulk of our maize this season has been on the inferior side, that is, soft. It is very hard even now to buy really prime dry stuff, and our market to-day is 3/6 to 3/6½, despite the newspapers quoting value at 3/4½. You must also bear in mind that the maize from the Snowy River cannot possibly be rushed on the market, as it can only come down from time to time, when the bar of the river's mouth will allow of boats getting in and out. A certain quantity is carted down to Cunninghame, but this means heavy expense, and occupies a lot of time."

BUTTER EXPORTS.

Butter shipments from Sydney during the week ended October 9 amounted to 4868 boxes, 4669 going to the United Kingdom, 9 to Hongkong, 100 to South Africa, 58 to Japan, 12 to New Caledonia, 1 to Singapore, Java, etc., 4 to South Sea Islands, and 15 to British New Guinea.

The exports since July 1, 1909, make the following totals, and compare with those for the same period of last year:—

	1909. Boxes.	1908. Boxes.
United Kingdom and Continent	26,120	10,841
Philippine Islands	1,186	783
South Africa	100	667
Hongkong	667	711
China	807	281
Japan	140	191
South Sea Islands	253	286
New Caledonia	281	311
Singapore, Java, etc.	422	330
India and Ceylon	—	363
British New Guinea	68	—
German New Guinea	13	—
Elsewhere	12	22
New Zealand	—	50
Total	29,697	15,140

BUTTER IMPORTS.

The importations of butter for the week ended October 9 were 126 boxes—120 from Queensland and 6 from South Australia.

The imports since July 1, 1909, make the following totals:—

	Boxes.
Queensland	7,163
Victoria	490
New Zealand	603
Western Australia	4
South Australia	121
Total	8,416

FROZEN MEAT EXPORTS.

Shipments of frozen meat from Sydney during the week ended October 9 amounted to 58,503 carcases of mutton, 58,503 going to the United Kingdom, 640 to India and Ceylon, 1855 to South Africa.

The frozen beef exports for the same period were nil.

The exports of mutton carcases from Sydney from July 1, 1909, to date have been the following, together with a comparison of those for the same period of the previous year:—

	1909.	1908.
United Kingdom and Continent	186,679	200,318
South Africa	13,919	23,874
Canada	2,042	1,783
Port Said	1,000	1,290
Philippine Islands	4,754	3,484
Malta	1,000	3,500
India and Ceylon	1,373	2,083
Singapore, Java, etc	30	3,522
Hongkong	2,866	976
Hawaiian Islands	2,334	1,465
Japan	1	933
Canada	1,127	1,738
Total	217,142	245,598

The frozen beef exports from July 1 to date total 551 quarters and pieces for the Philippine Islands, three for British New Guinea, and 32 for Singapore, Java, etc.

BREADSTUFFS.

The wheat market was firmer both on spot and forward. Spot holders were asking 4/10. There were buyers at 4/9, but very little prime grain was offering. There are no longer any considerable holdings in the country (at all events in the south), except those belonging to millers who require them. From 3/10½ to 3/11½ was being offered for new crop; but growers were still sitting tight.

Flour was meeting with slow sale—some of it at the convention rate of £11. New season's flour was offered at £8/10/ to £8/12/6.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 216 tons of wheat and 12 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

NEW SOUTH WALES WHEAT AND FLOUR EXPORTS.

Exports of wheat for the week ended October 9 were 38 bushels—20 for New Caledonia, 3 for South Sea Islands, and 15 for British New Guinea.

The flour exports for the same period amounted to 4942 sacks (of 200lb each), which were distributed as follows:—New Zealand, 20; Hongkong, 1000; New Caledonia, 44; Philippine Islands, 725; Singapore, Java, etc., 2508; South Sea Islands, 298; British New Guinea, 60; Dutch New Guinea, 40; Timor, 246.

The oversea exports of wheat and flour from Sydney from December 1 to the present date, compiled from the Customs returns, compare with those of the previous period as follows:—

WHEAT.

Destination.	1909. Bushels.	1908. Bushels.
United Kingdom	2,668,284	266,884
New Zealand	40,154	1,311
China	54	—
South Africa	80,115	—
New Caledonia	627	733
Philippine Islands	—	—
Singapore and Java	168	—
South Sea Islands	549	842
Spain	210,913	—
Canary Islands	238,118	—
Elsewhere	6,037	8,004
Total	3,246,205	279,096

FLOUR.

Destination.	Sacks. 1909.	Sacks. 1908.
United Kingdom	7,880	12,318
New Zealand	24,940	13,373
China	8,410	972
South Africa	—	250
New Caledonia	25,708	25,115
Philippine Islands	41,253	37,173
Singapore and Java	35,675	41,957
Spain	—	—
South Sea Islands	24,334	19,536
Canary Islands	—	—
Elsewhere	4,685	1,185
Totals	175,897	152,109

WHEAT AND FLOUR IMPORTS.

The imports of wheat into Sydney during the week ended October 9 were nil, and the flour imports 382 sacks (of 200lb each), the importations of the latter being from Victoria.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

TEA.

Colombo cables advised that the weather in the growing districts was unfavourable, and it was anticipated that the market would advance owing to the small supplies coming to hand. Calcutta tell a little for the very commonest (with which this market is not concerned), and eased about one pie for the better commons. Otherwise the market was very firm, particularly for Assams. London was also very firm for all kinds. The continuance of high markets is beginning to cause blenders much concern. In view of Government contracts which await filing, there was a strong inquiry for price teas. An auction is announced for to-day of 350 packages of Ceylons and 375 packages of Indians.

CHEMICALS.

Rosin: "G" grade, £19/12/6 to £20/15/ spot, according to parcel; "N" grade, £14 to £14/5/.

Cream of tartar: 95 per cent., /8; 99 per cent., /8¼.

Citric acid: 1/4¼ in parcels.

Tartaric crystals: /10½; powdered, /10¼.

Bluestone: Macclesfield, parcels, £23.

Borax: Powder, £19/10/; crystals, £18/10/, in parcels—in the cwt kegs, 2cwt kegs 10/ less.

Flowers of sulphur: Parcels, £7/15/.

Sodas: Bicarbonate (Brunner Mond), £7/10/ in 3's, £8 in 1's, in parcels; caustic, Muspratt's, in parcels, £13 spot, forward £14/10/; silicate soda, liquid, £8 15/ for parcels, lump as parcels; soda ash, £7/5/.

Carbide: £15 to £14 per ton, according to brand.

OILS.

Kerosene (per gallon): Snowflake, ex store, Sydney and Newcastle, /10¾ per gallon; to arrive, ex Dalmore, Sydney only, /10½; engine kerosene, /7¾ to /8½.

Motor car spirits: 1/5½ 4-gallon tins, 1/7½ 2-gallon tins.

Linseed oil (per gallon): First brands, 3/7, double-boiled 3/9; second brands, raw 3/5, boiled 3/7; local, 3/2 in casks, 3/4 in drums.

Turpentine (per gallon): Pratt's, 3/11 to 4/; Pinetree, 3/9 to 3/10.

Olive: Italian, pure, 11/6 to 12/ per gallon, duty paid.

Castor: Spot, 2/10 in cases, 3/ in drums.

China: Pure, 4/9; denatured (under Customs supervision), 2/10 (in 4's) and 3/ (in 1's).

Cottonseed: Shanghai, 5/; American winter drawn, 5/3; denatured, 3/10 (in 4's), 3/ (in 1's and 2's).

Rapeseed: No. 1, 3/3; refined, 3/6. Colza: Recognised brand, 4/ to 4/3, in gallon tins.

Japanese Fish: No. 1 Yokohama herring, £16/16/ per ton spot, £1 less c.i.f.e., to arrive November; No. 8 ordinary fish, 1/3 per gallon net.

Whale: Special pl. refined, 1/10, cases or casks; Polar, 2/1; Japanese, extra special, 2/ per gallon.

Cod: Japanese, 1/8 net; Norwegian, 2/2; Newfoundland, 2/1.

Creosote: Pure, 2/ per gallon in casks, 2/3 in drums.

Whitelead: First brands, in cwts, £29/10/ per ton; in quarters, £30/10/; second brands, in cwts, £28, in ton lots.

Redlead: First brands, £27 (in cwts); second brands, £26; quarters, 15/ more.

Zinc, white: Australian, dry, £25 per ton, in parcels; 26/6 per cwt, in small lots, net. Best English brands, ground in oil, extra white, £45 to £46 per ton.

Neatsfoot: Pure, 2/6 cask, 2/9 to 3/ drum; compound, 2/ to 2/4.

Stockholm tar: Local, 5/6 in drums; load lots, smaller quantities, 5/9; local, 40-gallon casks, 38/; imported, 32-gallon casks, 38/; 40-gallon casks, 45/.

Flyblown sheep oil: Australian, 2/5 net, for distributing lots.

Rosin oil: £18 to £20, according to quality.

JUTE.

New standard cornsacks, spot and September 5/, October 4/11.

Branbags: 3/8.

Woolpacks: 2/3.

EASTERN PRODUCE.

Rice: Best Japan, £22 to £22/5/ per ton; locally dressed, £18 to £20 per ton in 56lb bags.

Sago: £11/10/ to £12 per ton in parcels, 12/ to 12/6 per cwt.

Tapioca: Medium pearl, £12/10/ to £13 per ton in parcels; 13/ to 13/6 per cwt in small lots.

Pearl barley: £14 in parcels; £14/5/ in 56lb bags.

Split peas: 17/ per cwt, 17/3 in 56lb bags.

Seeds: Canary, £18 to £20 per ton, according to parcel; 19/6 per cwt in small lots. Hemp, 21/ in parcels. Rape, 23/ to 23/6 per cwt. Linseed, 18/ per cwt in small lots; ton lots, £16/10/. Mixed birdseed, 20/6 per cwt. White millet, £18.

Spices: Cloves, 1/ per lb; nutmegs, /9 in case lots, /10 to 1/ smaller quantities; mace, 2/ per lb; pimento, /3¾ to /9 per lb; caraway seeds, /5 per lb. Pure white pepper, /11 per lb; mixed, /7; pure black, /9½ per lb; mixed, /6. Stick cinnamon, 1/3 per lb. Mixed spice, loose /10, 1oz packets 1/. Nutmegs, case lots /8½ to /9, small lots /11 to 1/1.

Oatmeals: 7lb bags, £15/10/ per ton; flaked, 7lb bags, £19/10/, 2lb packets, 5/ per doz; rolled oats, 3lb bags, £20 to £28 per ton, according to brand.

Whole bleached ginger, in 10lb packets, /8½ per lb; ground ginger, loose /8½, in tins /9½; preserved, /7½ to /8 in 10lb packets.

Arrowroot: /6½ to /7.

Peels: Lemon, /7; orange, /5½; citron, /8.

METALS.

Fencing wires:—

Black German, ex store, No. 8, £8/10/; No. 10, £8/15/; American, No. 8 £8/12/6, No. 10 £9.

Galvanised: German, No. 8 £10, No. 10 £10; American, No. 8 £10, No. 10 £10/5/.

Barbed: Australian, 12-gauge £14/10/, 14-gauge £15/5/, special 12-gauge £16/15/, 14-gauge £18/5/; German, £14/5/ and £15/15/; American Iowa, No. 12 £14/15/, No. 14 £16/5/; long-distance English, £17/7/6 and £18/15/, for 12 and 14 gauge respectively.

G. C. iron: First brands £17/17/6, second brands £17/7/6, third brands £17, in 8ft lengths; in 9ft lengths 15/ more; 10ft lengths, 30/ more than 8ft.

Plain G. iron, 24, 26, and 28 gauge, first brands £17/2/6, £18/7/6, and £19/2/6; 10/ less for second brands.

Bar iron: £10/15/ in ton lots; shoeing iron, £11/15/; shoeing steel, 12/ to 12/6 per cwt.

Steel plates: £12/10/ per ton.

Hoop iron: Galvanised £16 per ton, black £11 per ton.

Sheet lead: £17/10/ in full rolls; sheet zinc, £29 to £29/10/.

Piping: English make—Black 70¾ off list; galvanised, 63¾; steam, 65.

Guttering and downpiping: 40 to 45 per cent. off list.

Wire nails: List for ton lots, 5 per cent. on list small lots.

Galvanised roofing screws: 40/ per cwt.

Tinplates: I.C. coke, 20 x 14, 14/9 to 15/ spot, 28 x 20 30/6; I.C. charcoal, 18/.

Wire nettings: 42 x 1½ x 17, Australia, A grade £23/17/6, B £26/17/6; English, A £27/7/6 to £28/10/, B £26; German, best heavy, £28 to £28/10/, B £26; 42 x 1½ x 18, Australian, £21/17/6; English, A £21/10/; German, £12/15/; 36 x 1½ x 18, Australian, £19/15/; English, A grade £21, B £17/15/ to £18; German, A £21, B £15; 36 x 1½ x 18, Australian £16, English and German £15/15/.

Plaster: King's Windsor, spot, 17/6.

Rabbit traps: Griffith's, 10/, in tank lots, 10/3 to 10/6 broken stock; Sidebotham's, 5/6.

Sheep shears: Standard brands, 24/6.

Cartridges: 12-g. C.F., 72/6; 22 calibre R.F., black powder, 13/3 short, 14/9 long; smokeless, 14/3 to 16/0.

Explosives: Dynamite, 48/6; gelignite, 41/; gelatine dynamite, 50/6; blasting gelatine, 55/6 per case of 50lb; ordinary blasting powder, /6½ per lb. Fuse, first brands, double-tape, /9½ per coil, in cases of 300 coils; second brands, /8 per coil.

Cement: 11/6 to 13/, according to brand and parcel.

The amount of wool manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday totalled 2824 bales.

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

Holders of wheat are still firm at 4/7 for parcels, and while orders are in the market buyers are not as yet prepared to give this figure. Flour is dull at £10 for export. Bran and pollard have been taken for shipment at /10½ and /11½ respectively. Chaff is exceedingly quiet.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Wheat was firm, with fair sales at from 4/7½ to 4/8, chiefly the latter price. Direct country purchases were made at 4/7½. New wheat was firm at 4/, forward delivery. Flour was quiet at £10/15. Bran sold at /10½, and pollard at 1/. Algerian oats were dull. Milling sold at 1/9, good feed 1/7½ to 1/8. Maize was firm. Good to prime dry sold for 3/5 to 3/5½, small lots, ex store, to 3/6. Peas were scarce and firm at from 5/3 to 5/6. Chaff was dull and weaker, with larger supplies. Wheaten sold from 82/6 to 60/, oaten 45/ to 52/6. Hay was very quiet. Manger hay sold from 70/ to 85/, sheaved hay 35/ to 55/. Victorian straw sold for 30/ to 40/. Potatoes showed further weakness. Prime Reds sold at 45/, special 50/, Pinkeye and Excelsior 40/ to 45/, Snowflake 40/, special 42/6. Onions were firm. Prime large sold at £7/5/.

Business in tea covers 150 packages Ceylon and 350 packages Indians up to /8½. Fair business was done in desiccated cocoanut. Cornsacks on spot were firmer at 4/10, importers asking 4/11 for December delivery. Branbags on spot sold up to 3/7. Woolpacks, loose tops, sold at 2/8. Fencing wire was in steady demand. Nails were raised /6 per cwt for gauges up to 12, making the basis now 15/6. Cement was selling freely.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

MAIZE AND ONIONS DEARER.

All the northern river steamers arrived this week-end, and the total quantity of maize they brought to market was only 2300 bags. Such a small supply naturally forced values up. Even in this small number of bags the quantity of prime maize free from weevil was restricted considerably. Holders, therefore, asked /1 more for choice samples, and this extra amount seemed to be forthcoming. There was a little South African maize changed hands ex wharf at 3/9, but where the cost of storage has been paid, stocks were held firmly. It was estimated that the stocks on the North Coast wharf, including this week's shipment, were not above 5000 bags, while last week's draw consisted of as much as 7000 bags. This will give some idea of the anxiety of importers to secure stocks from outside. Queensland, however, is too high, quoting 3/11 f.o.b. Brisbane, while Melbourne is not favourable at 3/6½. The chaff market was dull at late rates. Most forage lines received only small attention. Merchants were experiencing great trouble and expense with onions, as they had to be nearly all picked over. It is the ending of the season, and stocks were quickly sprouting. Some country storekeepers are complaining about the poorness of the consignments they are receiving, but an improvement cannot be expected in the quality until local Wellingtons come on the market within a month's time. For prime samples, after being picked over, £10 was being asked. There will be a good market for the best of the incoming shipment from Melbourne to-day. Pollard was advanced a further 5/ per ton, fixing the price £5/10/. Bran is unchanged. There were 20 bags of Clarence River potatoes marketed by the Noorebar, and for the best £11 was still asked.

FEED-GRAIN AND OFFAL MARKET.

Current quotations were:—

Maize.—Local: Yellow, prime dry free from weevil 4/, white, seed 4/, feed from 3/9 to 3/11. South African: Ex wharf 3/9. Victorian: Prime, 3/10, good 3/9 per bus.

Barley.—Victorian: Cape seed 3/2 to 3/3; feed, 3/ per bus.

Peas.—Tasmanian: Blue, 6/6; grey, 6/ to 6/3 per bus. Oats.—Tasmanian: White, 2/5 to 2/6. Algerian: Milling, 2/1 to 2/2, feed 1/11 to 2/, choice 2/1 per bus. Bran.—Local: £4/15/ per ton, /11½ per bus; pollard, £5/10/ per ton, 1/1 per bus.

FORAGE MARKET.

Chaff.—South Australian: Prime wheaten, choice £4/5/, good £3/15/ to £4. Victorian: Prime wheaten £3/15/ to £4, good £3/10/; prime oaten £3/2/6 to £3/5/ per ton.

Oaten Hay.—Victorian: £3/10/ per ton.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: Oaten, £2/15/; wheaten, £3/5/ per ton. Melbourne: £2.

Lucerne.—Hunter River: New green, £2/15/ to £3, heavy fresh £3/10/ to £4, dry hay £4 per ton.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes.—Clarence Rivers, £11 per ton.

Onions.—Victorian: Choice picked £10. Japanese: Choice picked, £10 per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter ruled quiet at last week's rates, as one or two of the leading merchants consider the London market favourable. One firm reports on the local market as follow:—"Less than 5000 boxes of butter weekly will fill all the requirements of the city grocers. All country orders have for some time been filled by the inland factories, which started operations a month earlier this season. There is consequently a heavy surplus passing on to London. On the immediate south coast the season is opening fairly well, and increased supplies of choice grocers' brands are arriving daily. Owing to this being race week, and Monday Eight-Hour holiday, the market has been somewhat disorganised, but local sales of choicest were satisfactory at 104/. Despite inspired press reports to the contrary the Australian committee in London cable satisfactory opening sales with good prospects. There is a shortage in the arrivals from Siberia, and Danish yesterday advanced 3/3 per cwt. Notwithstanding the foregoing, London prices up to Christmas will depend largely upon the production over Australia. Stored butter from Queensland is selling in London at 108/ to 112/. From July 1 to September 30, 18,729 boxes have been exported, as against 7480 for the same period last year." Grocers' palates are now keenly toned for a dry "twice worked" good-keeping butter. With the present large selection anything showing the slightest evidence of over-ripe cream or excess of moisture is passed by. Bacon was firmer. Hams were short supplied, and were dearer. Eggs were weaker; about 862 cases arrived from the northern rivers. Lard was quiet.

Current quotations were:—

Butter.—Special flavoured brands 104/, best seconds 84/ to 94/, pastry 60/ to 70/ per cwt.

Cheese.—Local: Prime loaf /5½ to /6, good /5, rough /4½, prime large /5½ to /5¾; special brands /7 per lb.

Lard.—Packets and small bladders, /6 to /6½, bulk /5½ to /6; special brands, bulk /6½, in 1lb prints /6½ per lb.

Bacon.—Prime factory, sides /8½ to /9; flitches, /7½ to /8½, middles /9½ to /10; special sides, /8½ to /9½, flitches /8 to /8½, middles /9½ to /10½ per lb.

Hams.—Baron hams, 1/½ to 1/1, cured 1/1 to 1/2, Christmas delivery, single cloth 1/2 to 1/2½, double 1/2½ to 1/2¾ per lb.

Eggs.—Northern river, /9 to /9½; southern and railway, /9½, choice /9½; suburban, new-laid, /10 to /10½; duck eggs, new-laid /9 to /10½, choice 11 per doz.

APIARY PRODUCTS.

Stocks of choice local honey are very low, and prices were firmer. Wax was quiet.

Current quotations were:—

Honey.—Western, 60lb tins, choice /3½ to /3¾, good /2½ to /3; northern river, /2 to /2½, rough and candied, /1½ to /2½ per lb.

Beeswax.—Prime clear, 1/1 to 1/2, dark 1/ per lb.

POULTRY.

Choice birds were at once snapped up at very firm rates.

The following prices were received:—

Old hens, extra choice 4/9, choice 4/ to 4/6, good 3/9 to 4/; roosters, extra choice 5/, choice 4/6 to 5/, good 3/6 to 4/; chickens, 2/ to 3/; mixed coops, 3/6 to 4/; English ducks, 5/0 to 6/6; Muscovy ducks, 3/6 to 4/; drakes, 3/9 to 4/3; turkey gobblers, choice 16/, good 12/ to 13/, light 9/ to 10/; turkey hens, choice 7/ to 8/, good 6/ to 7/; guineafowls, 4/ to 5/; pigeons, 1/3 to 1/6 per pair.

FIREWOOD.

There were only 20 truckloads of firewood offered at auction, and on account of this light supply good sales resulted.

The following prices were received:—

Best boxwood, 14/ to 15/, good 13/ to 14/; stringy bark, 10/ to 12/; ironbark, 10/ to 12/; bakers' wood, best 12/, good 10/ to 11/ per ton.

AUCTION SALES.

REDFERN RAILWAY MARKET.

The market at the Redfern station auction saleyards yesterday morning showed a further weakness in prices on all commodities offered, although 85 consignments of farm produce were offered, and of this total 22 were passed in for private treaty. Chaff was as usual in abundance, but the competition for it was dull, and the price dropped considerably. Choice wheaten brought from 4/ to 4/1, prime 3/9 to 3/11, medium to good 2/11 to 3/6. Dairymen had 16 trucks of lucerne hay to choose from, the produce selling well, but at a very much lower rate as compared with last week's sale. Choice small bales Mudgee green realised 4/10, prime from 4/2 to 4/5, good 3/9 to 4/, medium 3/ to 3/7. Lucerne chaff of medium quality passed off at from 3/ to 3/10, while choice oaten hay found a buyer at 4/4. Prime milling wheat sold at 4/8. Potatoes, if anything, were slightly cheaper, but choice quality was scarce, bringing from 8/ to 8/5, prime 7/2 to 7/9, good 6/6 to 7/, medium 5/6 to 6/3 per cwt.

The offerings were:—Chaff 31 trucks, lucerne hay 16, lucerne chaff 3, oaten hay 1, wheat 1, potatoes 21.

The following sales were effected:—

Chaff.—From Moore, Singleton, (9801) p 2/9; Roby, Appleby, (723) p 3/1; Carlisle, Nemingha, (3802) 3/2; ex Mary Vale, (14005) 3/1, (7127) 3/; Dunmock, Cowra, (401) p 2/6; Porter, Manilla, (10043) 2/5; Jeremy, Wagga, (2277) 50 bags p 3/11; Keriot, Molonle, (2311) 4/1; ex Darling Harbour, (3402) p 2/9; M'Cabe, Grenfell, (3091) p 3/8; ex Grenfell, (6565) 2/4; Ridgway, Marrar, (4395) 3/1; Potter, Wagga, (15287) p 4/, (8119) 4/1, (2582) 4/; Bembrick, Grenfell (3212) 3/5, (6952) p 2/11; M'Farland, Bomen, (6710) 3/6; Clarke, Bomen, (4882) 4/; West, Cowra, (11822) 2/8; Ross, Bomen, (11495) 2/9; Mattiske, Bomen, (11434) 3/11; Howard, Parkes, (2802) 3/3; Ceely, Derrain, (15148) p 3/4; James, Dubbo, (11143) p 3/4; Logan, Derrain, (12811) 3/2, (2082) 2/3, (3134) p 3/6, (902) p 4/2; Storrier, Junee, (11861) 3/4 per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—From O'Brien, Nemingha, (8515) p 2/5; J. Hill, Singleton, (12044) p 3/2; J. Williams, Singleton, (3418) p 3/8; Laidlaw, Moonbi, (8214) 2/7; Grell, Moonbi, (12081) 2/10; Smith, Mudgee, (3855) 3/2; M'Kinnon, Mudgee, (3699) p 3/1; Yip Hing, Nemingha, (5880) 3/4; Volmer, Nemingha, (7729) 4/; Bettison, Tamworth, (13071) 4/1; ex Mudgee, (12254) no offer; Mogg, Mudgee, (3289) 4/10; W. R. Mills, Mudgee, (1061) 2/3; T. Mills, Mudgee, (6612) 3/8; Betts, Moonbi, (751) 2/11; Sims, Nemingha, (1799) 2/11 per cwt.

Lucerne Chaff.—From Walsh, Nemingha, (13255) 3/1; Albertson, Nemingha, (12761) p 3/1, (11632) 3/10 per cwt.

Oaten Hay.—From Pratly, Kelso, (9902) 4/4 per cwt.

Wheat.—Ex Manilla, (11684) 4/8 per bushel.

Potatoes.—From Chalmers, Blayney, (2934) 6/8, 12 bags 6/3; ex Orange, (9414) 8/, (14258) 70 bags p 7/2; ex Millthorpe, (8413) p 7/, (6727) 6/8, (8405) 76 bags 7/2, (1040) 6/9, (5587) 6/9, (4621) 6/3, (914) p 6/11; ex Crookwell, (8004) 8/5, (7863) 7/2, (11259) 6/9, (8208) 7/6, (12180) p 6/6; Storey, Breadalbane, (12109) 6/8, balance 6/7; M'Donald, M'Alister, (13228) 7/6; Maikson, Ben Lomond, (6225) 7/4; Pearson, Guyra, (7464) 30 bags 8/5; Hyman, Guyra, (14059) 7/2; Grill, Tumut, 7/9; Noonan, Millthorpe, (5392) 6/6 per cwt.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

Vegetables of nearly every variety were scarce at Belmore yesterday morning, but although the market was poorly stocked, prices remained practically unaltered. Cabbages were the only commodity that showed an increase, while potatoes were slightly cheaper than at the previous day's sale.

The current quotations were:—

Cabbages, per doz, large 8/, medium 6/, small 3/; cauliflowers, large 6/6, medium 4/6, small 2/6; pumpkins, large 6/ to 8/, medium 3/ to 4/, small 1/6 to 2/; lettuce, /6; cucumbers, 1/6 to 2/; vegetable marrow, 4/6; carrots, 1/ to 1/6; parsnips, 1/3 to 1/9; white turnips, /8 to 1/; spinach, /6; beetroot, 1/, 1/3, to 1/6; eschalots, /10 to 1/; leeks, 1/; parsley, /10 to 1/; mint, 1/; herbs, /6 to /9; watercress, /2 to /4; rhubarb, 1/ to 1/6; celery, 1/3 to 1/9; radishes, 1/ to 1/6; horse-radish, 6/ per dozen bunches; potatoes, Early Rose 7/6 to 8/, Sweet potatoes 5/, Kidney potatoes 10/; Swede turnips, 4/; French beans, 4/6; broad, 1/3 to 1/9; green peas, 3/6 to 4/; chillies, 2/6; tomatoes, 2/6 per quarter-case, 4/ per half-case; asparagus, 6/ to 7/6 per small bundle; onions, 6/ to 6/6; onions, 8/.

SCARCITY OF CABBAGES.

Cabbages have of late been coming into the Belmore vegetable market in large consignments, but on Saturday morning they were scarce. At yesterday's sale only a few small lots found their way in, these coming from Rose Bay, Willoughby, and Botany. The lots sold yesterday morning were of medium quality, but sold well as choice quality bringing from 6/ to 7/6 per dozen. The cause for the dearth, it is stated by the marketers, is on account of large orders being received for export. To-day the merchants anticipate that the cabbages will be still scarce, and will command a higher price than at yesterday's sale.

FRUIT MARKETS.

Choice apples sold well; the American shipment was clearing up satisfactorily. Citrus fruit sold at late rates, there being a better demand. Pineapple stocks were reduced, and values advanced /6 all round.

Current quotations:—

Apples.—Local: Tasmanian: S.P.M., extra choice 10/ to 12/, choice 7/ to 7/6, good 6/ to 6/6, small 4/ to 5/; S.T.P., choice 7/6 to 8/, good 4/ to 6/; F.C., choice 8/ to 9/, good 5/ to 6/, small 4/; S.P., choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 4/6 to 5/, small 3/6 to 4/ per bushel-case. American: Jonathans, 12/ to 14/; Red Permain, 12/; Winesaps, 10/ to 12/; Jeffries, 10/ to 12/; Home Beauties, 10/ to 11/; Weathers, 10/ to 12/.

Bananas.—Gros Michaels, 17/ to 17/6 per case, 4/ to 10/ per bunch, 15/6 to 16/6 per case, 4/ to 8/ per bunch, loose 8/ to 8/6 per case. Queensland: Nominal.

Cocoanuts.—10/6 to 11/ per bag, 1/9 to 2/6 per doz.

Lemons.—Local: Choice 7/ to 8/, medium 4/ to 5/6, small 2/6 to 3/ per gin-case.

Loquats.—Choice 3/6 to 4/, medium 2/ to 2/6 per half-case; Mammoths, choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 3/ to 4/ per half-case.

Mandarins.—Local: Emperors, special 12/ to 14/, choice 9/ to 10/, medium 4/ to 5/, small 2/6 to 3/ per gin-case; Thorneys, choice 4/6 to 5/, medium 3/ to 3/6 per half-case, small 2/ to 3/ per gin-case.

Oranges.—Local: Special, 8/ to 9/, choice 6/ to 7/, medium 4/ to 5/, small and inferior from 2/ to 2/6, windfalls 1/6 to 2/6 per gin-case. Navel: Choice 12/ to 14/, medium 7/ to 9/, small 3/ to 3/6 per gin-case. South Australian: Navel, choice 14/ to 15/ per bushel-case.

Nuts.—Peanuts, /5½; walnuts, /7; almonds, /9½; Lychee, 1/3; Barcelonas, /8; Poplars, /3 per lb.

Pears.—Victorian: B.P., 13/ to 14/, good 10/ to 12/, medium 9/ to 10/; Vicars, 10/ to 11/ per packer. American: De Anjo, 13/ to 14/; Buerre Clairgo, 13/ to 14/; W.N., 15/.

Pineapples.—Queensland: Common and Ripleys, choice 8/ to 9/, good 7/ to 7/6; Queens, choice 7/ to 8/, good 6/ to 7/ per case.

Strawberries.—Queensland: Choice 4/ to 5/, medium 3/ to 3/6, small 2/6 per three-quart tray. Local: 1/6 per quart-punnet.

Seville Oranges.—2/ to 3/ per gin-case.

Tomatoes.—Queensland: Choice 5/ to 6/, good 3/6 to 4/6 per quarter-case.

STOCK TRUCKINGS.

The following trucks have been ordered for the forthcoming sales:—October 14, 653 sheep vans, 171 cattle waggons; October 18, 602 sheep vans, 153 cattle waggons.

SYDNEY WOOL SALES.

Wool sales were held yesterday at the Sydney Wool Exchange, Bridge-street, when the quantity catalogued totalled 8537 bales, and the sales, including private transactions, amounted to 8645 bales, as under:—

Broker.	Offerings.	Sales. At Auction.	Privately, ex Catalogue.	Privately, un-catalogued.	Total Sales.
Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd.	4,341	3,972	24	958	4,954
Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd.	4,196	3,569	22	100	3,691
	8,537	7,541	46	1,058	8,645

For all good wools the market was about on a par with the closing rates of last week, but a decidedly easier tone prevailed for medium and faulty descriptions, which were fully 5 per cent. lower.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., offered a catalogue, including a number of high-class clips from almost all districts of the State. In the grease the highest price was /14½, paid for 8 1st xbd w, and 21 2nd xbd w of BMO/Jugiong, the merino fleece making /13½ for 14 A com, /13 for 11 B com, /12½ for 19 C com, /12½ for 19 C com, /12½ for 13 necks, and /12 for 52 com. The clip was of good, sound staple, bright, very good quality, and free. Other sales were: GM Ravensworth/Yass, N.S.W., 7 h e at /12½, fair staple, sound, very good colour and quality; EJ/Thornwood (Warren), 23 1st e at /12½, good length, sound, nice quality; JHB conj. Tycannah (Moree), 21 AA w at /12½; 4 AA w at /11½, 18 AA h at /12½, 12 A w at /12, 6 A and B at /11½, good staple, sound, bright, dry, good quality; Coolsadella (Moree), 7 sup. com e at /12½, 25 1st com at /11½, 6 A w h at /10½, 12 AA e at /10½, 44 necks at /10½, good staple, fine, good colour, carrying a few burrs; Yarran (Warialda), 6 1st h at /11½, 4 1st e at /12½, fair staple, bright, nice quality, free; Bonanga (Moree), 24 AA w at /12½, 10 A w at /10½, good sound staple, good colour and quality, free; G. Fitzgerald Windsor N.S.W. (Gylstones), 4 C w e at /11½, 9 C w h e at /10½, 11 A at /11, a clothing wool of extra superfine quality, absolutely free from burrs, but carrying condition; B row, B comb. Brindley Park (Merriwa), 13 1st com e at /12½, 9 com e at /11½, 5 2nd com at /11, 17 com e at /10½, 48 at /9½, good staple, nice quality, sound, carrying condition, a few burrs; MS in boxes/Euabalong (Bethungra), 28 1st com w at /13½, 15 2nd com w at /12½, excellent quality, good, sound staple, bright, and free; DF (Darlington Point), 17 e at /11½, good, sound staple, good quality, slightly fatty; TE/Cleveland (Manginah), 16 1st com h at /11½, 20 2nd com h at /10½, 22 clo h at /9½, good staple, sound, fine, free; XX/G (Warialda), 27 sup. com e at /13½, 39 1st com w at /13, 14 AA com at /12, 11 2nd com at /14½, 9 necks at /13½, good length and fineness, dry, bright, sound; Glendon, 60 1st com at /12, 26 2nd com at /11½, 21 1st clo at /10½, 18 2nd clo at /10½, fair staple, good colour, nice quality, few burrs; Mungery (Tomingley), 34 1st com w at /14, 10 2nd com w at /9, 9 w at /7½, medium staple, nice quality, a little earthy; Jerilderie/ATT/MP (Jerilderie), 21 w at /9½, good staple, nice quality, slightly burry and fatty; K/Glenmore (Moree), 24 1st com w at /13, 29 1st com h at /12½, 50 com w at /12½, 27 com w h at /11, 22 w at /10½, 29 bkn at /12, good staple, fine, sound, free; Quantambone/house (Brewarrina), 37 sup com at /11, 51 sup com h at /11½, 51 sup com at /10½, 14 1st com h at /10½, 15 at /10½, good staple, soft, good quality, free, carrying a little earth; JF/Bookhara (Brewarrina), 24 1st com at /11½, 24 1st com at /11, 8 2nd com at /10½, 13 2nd com at /10½, 11 1st clo at /10, 6 A at /9½, 31 bkn at /11½, 30 bkn at /11, good staple, sound, good colour and quality, a little dusty; WPD/MM (Boonbah), 6 1st com at /12, good staple and quality, bright, few burrs; AS (Coonamble), 19 e at /11½, fair staple, good colour, nice quality, few burrs; Kanoona/Harden, 7 A e at /11½, 8 A w h e at /11, fair staple, sound, good quality, free. Scoured: TM/Cato (Goolagong), 5 1st com at /22½, good colour, fine, well prepared.

The Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd., offered a catalogue which, although not including any superior lines, comprised a number of good average wools in the grease. Among the principal sales were:—Cairnton (Barraba), 9 A e at /13, 5 A h at /11, fine, soft, free, good condition; EJM/Forest View (Gurley), 15 AA at /12½, 14 A com at /12½, good staple and condition, few burrs, sound; W/W (Blandford), 18 A h e at /12½, bright, good quality, sound, good condition; JLT Leighton/Park (Scone), 15 1st com e at /10½, 5 2nd com e at /9, bright, moderate condition, a little burry; JC/Tycannah, 9 AA e at /12½, 4 A e at /11, good quality and condition, little dusty tip; BRN in dia (Guiar), 12 1st com h w e at /10½, 40 1st com e at /10½, well grown, sound staple, good quality, carrying condition, well skirted; Pretoria (Warialda), 9 1st e at /12½, 10½ h at /11½, bright, free, good condition; Fleming Bros/Boreen (Narrabri), 11 1st com w at /10½, 6 1st com e at /11, 21 2nd com at /10½, 12 2nd com, at /10½, 7 2nd e at /10½, good quality, bright, sound, showing good breeding, generally in good condition; B/WW/W/Bando on end (Gunnedah), 11 AAA e at /11, 9 AA e at /11, 7 AA e at /10½, 7 AA e at /10½, 13 AA e at /10½, 24 AA e at 11, 54 A e at /9½, a further consignment of good quality and condition, but burry; HH/Happy Valley (Nevertire), 12 1st com h at /10½, 8 1st com e at /10, 20 2nd com e at /9½, fine, good condition, little dusty tip; PWW (Blandford), 5 2nd com h e at /12½, 16 A h e at /11, 4 w e at /10½, an attractive wool of good quality, sound, bright, in very good condition; R D (Dandaloo), 42 e at /9¾, 26 w h e at /8½, 6 at /8, fine, fair staple, sound, moderate condition; Warrembri/Wee Wee, 20 1st e at /10, 6 1st h at /10, 4 2nd e at /9½, a further consignment, somewhat free, and in moderate condition; YIH ASH (Jericho, Q.), 15 1st A h at /12, 25 1st A e at /12, 10 A e at /10½, to weaners at /10½, 31 bkn at /10, good staple, little dull tip, dry, free; Yarraville/HMD (Forbes), 11 h at /10½, 20 1st pcs at /8½, fine, soft, moderate condition, free; HM/Oregon (Warialda), 25 A com e at /11½, 5 A com w h e at /11½, 9 B com e at /11, 20 A clo at /10½, 13 B clo at /10, well grown, good condition, sound, free, well skirted; TC and S/Gamalally (Collarendabri), 15 A at /11½, 32 AA at /11½, fine, bright, good staple, free; WM Mtn View (Narrabri), 11 com e at /10½, 46 com w at /11, 22 clo e at /10, 24 clo w at /10½, a further consignment, showing good staple and quality, nice condition, few burrs; JKF in block/Ulah (Walgett), 9 sup com e at /11½, 27 1st com e at /11, 12 1st com e at /10½, 32 1st com w at /10½, 11 1st com at /10½, good quality, sound, well grown, free, moderate condition, carefully skirted; Memagong (Young), 5 A at /10½, 9 B at /10½, good character, well grown, carrying condition; MEP/Springvale, (Narrabri), 6 AA com e at /11, 17 AA com e at /11, 8 w at /10½, good quality, fair staple, little dusty tip; X/— (Narrabri), 6 1st com at /12½, 7 1st clo at /11½, good quality and staple, a little seedy; JC/Warialda, 12 e at /12½, fine, soft, free, good condition; WAM Erindale (Warialda), 28 1st w at /12½, 10 1st e at /11½, well grown, good condition, free; C/Meree, 11 1st com w at /11½, 8 2nd com at /10½, 10 clo at /10½, further consignment, good quality, dry, little dusty tip.

HOMEBUSH STOCK MARKET.

YESTERDAY'S SALES.

SHEEP.

Out of 38,248 sheep, including lambs, balloted for sale, from 101 consignors, 38,018 head were penned. There were three drafts of over 1000 head. The bulk of the consignments, however, were in lots of 90 to 300. The sheep comprised a large proportion of good to prime woolly merinos, with a sprinkling of medium and odd pens of extra prime wethers. There was a moderate representation of shorn, chiefly good quality. Crossbreds were not so strongly in evidence as of late, prime heavy woolly wethers being scarce. The selection was a good one, and generally suited to trade requirements. There was a full attendance of buyers, including exporters and the Sydney Meat Preserving Company, Ltd. As the supply of good to prime was within the demand, and the London frozen mutton position better, the market opened at late rates for good to prime, but dull and dragging at weaker values for medium quality. This tone generally prevailed throughout. Quotations:—Prime merino wethers 17/ to 18/6, extra prime merino wethers 19/6 to 21/, good merino wethers and hoggets 13/ to 15/, medium merino wethers and hoggets 9/ to 11/6, prime merino ewes 13/6 to 15/, extra to 15/9, good merino ewes 11/6 to 12/6, medium merino ewes 9/ to 10/, prime crossbred wethers 18/ to 19/, good crossbred wethers and hoggets 15/ to 16/6, medium crossbred wethers and hoggets 11/ to 13/, prime crossbred ewes 16/6 to 17/6, good crossbred ewes and hoggets 14/ to 15/6, medium crossbred ewes and hoggets 10/ to 12/, prime shorn merino wethers 9/6 to 11/, extra prime 11/9 to 12/3, good shorn wethers 7/6 to 8/6, prime shorn merino ewes 8/6 to 9/6, good 6/6 to 7/6, prime shorn crossbred wethers 10/ to 11/6, extra prime to 12/6, good 8/ to 9/, shorn crossbred ewes 5/6 to 11/10. Sales:—

Maiden Brothers.—W. Kearney, 14 xb w 18/6, 31 17/, 24 xb e 15/, 141 w 17/6, 46 15/6, 106 e 13/9, 41 11/6, 28 r 14/6, 60 h 13/; T. W. Tyers, 68 e 13/1, 11 12/, 7 w 14/, 284 xb h 12/10 to 13/8, 136 11/8; H. Colless, 60 w 17/6, 8 (shorn) 10/; A. Colless, 238 w 17/7, 74 16/4, 42 (shorn) 10/8; S. Tym, 48 e (shorn) 8/11; A. S. Tom, 237 w (shorn) 10/, 66 7/5; Dempsey, 45 e 12/11; P. M'Girr, 106 w 17/1, 84 15/1; J. Duff, 92 e 12/9, 27 10/6; Glennie Bros., 197 xb w h 13/, 34 11/9, 138 xb e h 12/; D. F. Gibb, 347 w h 12/4 to 12/11, 273 10/11 to 11/, 134 9/3 to 9/4; M'Clintock Bros., 151 w 19/2, 87 15/9; Gordon Bros., 432 w 14/7 to 15/3, 307 12/7 to 12/11; C. Lloyd, 272 w 17/6, 100 15/11, 41 e 11/, 88 w 15/8, 70 e 14/6; W. J. Parsons, 165 w 18/4 to 18/8, 101 16/2; Bunna Bunna station, 326 w (shorn) 10/, 124 7/10; T. Gordon, 15 xb w 15/5, 11 w 12/, 14 xb e 12/, 279 e 11/, 39 9/4, 12 xb r 15/.

Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.—Walhallow Estate, Breeza, 340 w 19/ to 19/4, 579 17/11; A. A. Co., Willow Tree, 250 w 18/5 to 18/11, 317 15/11 to 16/1; N.Z. and A.L. Co., Ltd., Coonamble, 276 w 19/ to 19/2, 675 17/ to 17/3; A. A. Dangar, Quirindi, 100 w 17/2, 306 16/10 to 17/1, 50 14/6 to 14/10; A. M'Culloch, Cootamundra, 97 w 17/2, 156 16/2 to 16/5; C. Binnie, Werris Creek, 213 w 16/9 to 16/11, 167 14/9; G. J. Howard, Barmedman, 101 w 17/10, 136 16/1; H. G. Von Laubenfeld, Wyalong, 21 w (shorn) 11/6, 10 e (shorn) 9/8, 70 7/10; C. Haub, Wyalong, 20 xb 16/8, 37 15/, 54 w 15/, 22 e and w 13/7, 30 14/2; V. J. Holcombe, Merah, 121 xb (shorn) 7/9 to 8/, 89 xb e (shorn) 6/8, 97 e (shorn) 6/6, 50 xb (shorn) 6/11, 88 xb e (shorn) 5/6; G. R. Horton, Hay, 258 e (shorn) 9/ to 9/2, 20 9/, 768 8/ to 8/6, 66 6/6; — Donohoe, Hay, 5 e (shorn) 7/6.

Joseph Leeds and Co.—J. M'Master, Bundella, 240 w 19/6, 126 17/9; exors. T. Walker, Gillendoon, 208 w (shorn) 11/9 to 12/3; Western agents, 5 e 12/, 6 h 13/, 186 e (shorn) 7/7.

Pastoral Finance, Ltd.—R. Meppem and Sons, Edgeroi, 30 w 16/, 180 14/5, 20 13/, 300 12/10 to 12/11, 62 11/10, 8 11/5, 30 e 12/6, 68 10/.

J. R. Keenan.—M. Murphy, Coolamon, 30 xb w 18/5, 65 w 20/5; J. O'Brien, Bundure, 55 w 17/, 30 15/11, 6 10/, 26 e 14/11; G. L. Smith, Bundure, 20 e (shorn) 8/6; W. Herbert, Cathundral, 5 (shorn) 8/6, 5 12/6 to 14/.

Wilkinson and Lavender, Ltd.—McCaughey and Waddell, 30 w 17/4, 300 15/8 to 16/, 57 11/4, 56 (shorn) 7/6, 94 e 15/9, 20 14/9, 100 14/3, 158 14/, 88 11/6; W. Eason, 17 xb w 17/5, 40 15/5, 7 stags 15/, 194 e 15/4 to 15/6, 124 15/9; D. Gibson, 61 w 16/10, 69 15/2, 17 h 12/7, 25 e 12/; Southern agents, 88 e 12/3 to 12/5; E. G. Foggo, 130 e 12/, 69 10/6; T. Hill, 88 e 12/1; Reid Bros., Ltd., 350 w 13/9, 52 12/, 640 xb h 11/11, 275 h 11/4 to 11/7, 65 9/4.

Dalgety and Co., Ltd.—McGregor and Trelly, Bourke, 344 w 16/1 to 16/4, 374 15/ to 15/2, 80 13/11; Scott Bros., Bethungra, 157 w 18/, 202 16/, 21 xb e 14/1, 30 e 12/2; J. B. Donkin, Wyalong, 72 e (shorn) 8/6, 142 8/ to 8/3, 178 6/5.

A. McIlree and Co.—J. F. Stinson, Coolamon, 175 w 12/0, 68 11/6.

Warden Harry Graves, Ltd.—F. A. Ryrie, Mullengudgery, 60 w (shorn) 10/2 to 10/4, 78 10/, 443 9/4, 45 9/, 38 8/3, 22 e (short) 7/6; J. Magill, Bogan Gate, 21 w 14/8, 37 e 13/3, 32 11/6; R. King, Forbes, 27 w 14/2, 50 e 11/9.

New Zealand L. and M. A., Ltd.—W. G. Matchett, 23 w 20/, 152 16/4, 121 15/8, 38 18/6; A. H. T. and W. Davidson, 400 w 17/10 to 18/, 558 16/; C. M. Sawyer, 187 w 17/11, 243 15/11 to 16/3; Fetherstonhaugh and Sons, 84 w 16/1, 18 13/, 35 e 10/4, 128 w (shorn) 9/9; E. S. Hall, 378 w 15/5, 251 12/11, 44 stags 12/3.

Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd.—E. Hemsworth, 35 w 16/, 84 e 11/1, 45 w 15/, 26 e 11/3; Esther Bros., 25 xb e 14/11, 58 13/9, 28 e 12/6; W. V. Robertson, 12 xb w 14/1, 33 xb e 13/; Carson and Brown, 66 w 13/4, 20 stags 12/4, 240 e 10/9 to 11/4, 222 e 9/ to 9/6, 44 r (shorn) 6/; R. Morley, 78 e 10/7, 6 h 10/6; H. V. Foy, 22 e 9/8, 8 w 9/6, 169 e 8/9 to 9/.

Hill, Clark, and Co.—Exors. J. C. Ryrie, 85 w 21/, 250 19/1 to 19/4, 300 17/3, 120 16/; A. Elder, 52 w 17/, 40 14/11, 35 e 12/11, 5 xb w h 14/8, 30 h 12/0, 20 e h 13/, 34 12/3; H. Storey, 64 w 16/1, 50 15/; J. W. Buchanan, 89 e 14/7, 190 12/9 to 12/11.

Weaver and Perry.—M. Sawyer, jun., 154 w 18/4, 208 17/2; E. G. Donkin, 56 e (shorn) 7/6; R. W. O'Neill, 71 w (shorn) 8/9, 78 8/ to 8/3; R. Hill, 10 w (shorn) 11/2, 40 8/3; Northern agents, 20 w 17/9, 19 h 13/1, H. B. Donkin, 8 xb w (shorn) 12/8, 21 xb e (shorn) 11/10; Smith, Simpson, and Co., 30 r 18/8.

Badgery Brothers.—Russell, Brown, 77 w 15/10, 64 18/, 40 e 13/5, 20 11/1; R. Smith, 10 e 14/2, 66 12/5, 16 10/6; Northern agents, 117 w 14/6, 302 12/9 to 13/, 82 11/4; A. Chambers, 88 e 13/1, 100 11/10 to 11/11; A. Cruickshank, 38 e (shorn) 8/4; W. N. Stone, 30 w 17/6, 410 17/2, 205 15/11, 34 14/.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd.—D. and W. Sellar, 65 w 19/6, 157 17/8 to 18/; James Doyle, 397 w 19/ to 19/1, 637 15/10 to 16/2, 266 14/4 to 14/6; J. P. Jasprires, 91 w 17/, 68 15/7; Wallangra Pastoral Coy., Ltd., 185 w 10/10, 40 16/ to 16/4, 90 15/6 to 15/8, 192 16/2, 147 13/6 to 13/9, 8 10/6; M. Sawyer, jun., 225 w 15/8 to 15/9, 432 14/3 to 14/10, 135 13/7 to 13/9; Southern agents, 20 h 13/1; J. Robertson, 37 w 14/2, 40 11/1; T. Holland, 28 w 11/2, 39 e 11/6, 15 9/.

Abbott and Martineer.—W. B. Croxon, Coonamble, 14 w 17/, 65 e 13/6; A. Maddocks, Trangie, 81 w 16/6; T. Lincoln, Trangie, 18 e 14/, 85 w h 12/1, 35 e h 11/3, 7 e 10/; G. Barnett, 22 w h 12/10, 28 h 12/7, 30 11/ to 11/1; H. P. Croxon, Coonamble, 97 w (sh) 9/9, 227 8/9 to 9/, 40 7/7.

LAMBS.

A full supply of lambs proportionately was penned. All grades were in evidence, both crossbred and merino, mainly suckers, with occasional pens of woolly and shorn summer lambs. There was a fair proportion of prime, and occasional pens of extra prime. Medium and useful suckers, however, were rather considerably in evidence. Competition was slack, especially on the lower descriptions, and values were /6 per head below last Thursday's reduced rates, closing very weak. Quotations: Prime lambs and suckers, 9/ to 10/6, extra prime 11/6 to 13/6, good suckers and shorn lambs 6/6 to 7/6, medium and light, 4/ to 6/6.

Maiden Brothers.—W. Kearney, 18 10/4; S. Tim, 112 8/9-10, 42 7/6-7; Dempsey, 70 7/3-6; J. Duff, 57 6/9, 28 6/10.

Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.—Donohue, 16 9/8, 29 8/10, 27 6/9; V. J. Holcombe, 16 10/, 61 9/, 41 9/9, 138 5/10, 50 4/1; C. Haub, 65 7/3, 34 6/7.

J. R. Keenan.—W. Herbert, 34 10/1 to 10/2, 74 8/6, 37 6/10, 25 (shorn) 8/1 to 8/3, 35 7/9 to 8/, 61 —, 40 6/ to 6/1; G. L. Smith, 35 8/8.

Warden Harry Graves, Ltd.—F. A. Ryrie, 68 10/ to 10/2, 20 8/10, 54 8/6, 60 7/7; W. Connell, 25 10/10, 28 10/7, 78 9/ to 9/4; P. Broderick, 60 9/10, 51 8/3.

Wilkinson and Lavender, Ltd.—E. G. Foggo, 25 9/6, 192 9/1 to 9/2, 67 8/2; D. Gibson, 20 9/, 38 7/, 23 5/6; W. Eason, 5 10/6, 54 8/.

Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd.—W. V. Robertson, 13 10/11; J. J. and T. Strickland, 414 9/3-6; F. Hemsworth, 48 8/7, 11 8/6, 17 6/10; Esther Bros., 43 8/6, 12 7/7; W. Pavey, 40 8/, 62 6/9.

Weaver and Perry.—E. Gordon, Donkin, 70 7/1, 140 6/; J. Smith, 28 8/, 77 6/.

Badgery Bros., R. Smith, 38 8/9, 25 11/7, 29 10/, 22 7/7, 6 8/; A. Cruickshank, [illegible].

Hill, Clark, and Co.—H. Storey, 20 8/10, 104 5/5.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd.—J. Robertson, 47 8/5, 114 6/10 to 7/, 130 6/4 to 6/5, 107 6/2.

CATTLE.

Upwards of 1124 cattle were balloted for sale from 23 consignors, and 1132 head were yarded. The consignments came mainly from the northern districts, with occasional drafts from the west, and two drafts, aggregating 229 head, from Queensland. The yardings comprised all descriptions, and included a large proportion of good to prime bullocks and steers. Both prime handy-weight and medium-weights were well in evidence. About 200 cows and heifers were included in the yardings, mainly good quality, with a fair representation of prime and odd choice beasts. The general average was well up to the standard of late. There was a full attendance of buyers, but as the supply, in view of the heavy yardings on Thursday next, was ample for the demand, the market opened to moderate competition at a fall of about 10/ per head. There was an occasional improvement on light weights as the sales progressed. Quotations:—Yards of prime medium-weight bullocks £9/15/ to £10/5/, odd beasts to £12; yards of prime light bullocks and steers £8/10/ to £9/5/; yards of good bullocks and steers £6/10/ to £7/10/; yards of light steers £4/10/ to £5/10/; yards of prime cows £5/15/ to £6/10/; yards of extra prime cows and heifers £7 to £7/15/, odd beasts to £9; yards of good cows and heifers £4/10/ to £5; yards of medium and light £3/10/ to £4; best light beef 24/ to 25/, and useful beef 22/ per 100lb.

Badgery Brothers.—W. N. Stone, 38 bullocks to £7/11/, avg £7/3/4; C. S. Hall, 11 bullocks at £8/11/.

Maiden Brothers.—W. D. Bruce, 7 bullocks to £10/6/, avg £8/16/9, 1 cow at £7/17/; Western agents, 6 steers at £4/6/, 4 heifers to £5, avg £4/9/; F. Hemsworth, 8 steers to £7/1/, avg £5/10/1, 4 heifers to £6/14/, avg £5/11/6.

Warden Harry Graves, Ltd.—J. Landers, Coonamble, 50 bullocks to £7/16/, avg £7/8/3.

Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd.—J. J. and T. Strickland, 42 bullocks to £8/11/, avg £8/1/9; Allen Brothers, 8 cows to £9, avg £8/9/10; Western agents, 5 cows to £6/11/, avg £6/3/9; Western agents, 5 cows at £6/1/, 5 calves avg £2/12/9.

Joseph Leeds and Co.—J. M'Donald, Mungie Bundie, 55 steers to £8/7/, avg £7/15/10; J. M'Master, Rockgidgiel, 48 steers to £8/2/, avg £7/13/1.

Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.—T. Cook and Co., Gravesend, 50 bullocks to £9/2/, avg £8/17/6; N.Z. and A. Land Company, Walgett, 8 bullocks at £10/8/; W. J. Marsh, Forbes, 15 bullocks to £10/6/, avg £9/15/; exors. late T. Walker, Warren, 13 steers to £8/4/, avg £7/19/8, 2 bullocks at £10/10/, 17 cows and heifers to £7/8/, avg £6/17/8; Hall Bros., Aberdeen, 14 bullocks to £9/16/, avg £7/19/8, 7 cows at £6/4/; A. A. Dangar, Quirindi, 27 bullocks to £9/5/, avg £8/19/4; F. Johns and Sons, Collarenebri, 1 bullock at £12, 29 steers to £8/14/, avg £8/11/6, 5 cows to £8/1/, avg £6/15/5; R. J. Winten (Q.), 98 bullocks to £9/11/, avg £8/5/5, 16 cows to £6/16/, avg £6/7/1; S. J. Botterill, Wyalong, 10 heifers to £7/4/, avg £5/11/3, 6 steers to £7/1/, avg £6/10/10.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd.—A. G. F. Munro, 52 bullocks to £9/17/, avg £9; D. T. Bray, 10 bullocks to £10/1/, avg £9/14/3, 21 cows and heifers to £7/1/, avg £6/8/10; trustees late J. S. Vickery, 40 bullocks and steers to £9/4/, avg £8/5/9; Northern agents, 38 calves to £1/16/, avg £1/10/4; I. Peart, 8 heifers to £4/8/, avg £4/5/3, 5 steers to £6/2/, avg £4/14/6; Western agents, 7 steers at £7/1/, 4 cows and heifers to £6/4/, avg £5/10/2; W. M. E. Skuthorpe, 4 steers to £8/7/, avg £6/0/2, 5 cows and heifers to £7, avg £6/12/.

Hill, Clark, and Co.—Dudgeon and Skeahan (Q.), Bourke, 107 bullocks to £9/6/, avg £8/14/; Estate late R. Hill, Butterbone, 11 bullocks to £7/18/, avg £7/4/, 50 steers to £9/7/, avg £7/6/5, 13 cows and heifers to £9, avg £6/14/6, 10 heifers to £5/11/, avg £4/17/6.

Weaver and Perry.—Martindale, White, Bros., 10 bullocks to £9/12/, avg £8/7/8, 11 cows to £8/13/, avg £6/19/5; S. L. West, 32 steers to £7/19/, avg £6/8/5.

BIG SALE OF QUEENSLAND BULLOCKS.

F. A. Brodie and Co. have sold direct this week 3000 Queensland three and half-year old bullocks to Mr. Thomas Ellis, delivered at his Mole station, Macquarie River.—Advt.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

WESTERN SUBURBS REAL ESTATES AGENTS.—At the Royal Exchange, at 11.30, Houses and Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

J. R. LAWSON and LITTLE.—At the Rooms, at 2.30, Water-colour Drawings and Oil Paintings.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 170 George-street West, at 2, Clothing, Boots, Curtains, etc.

AUCTIONS AND ESTATES COMPANY.—At the Rooms, at 11, Furniture, E. P. Ware, etc.

GIBBS, SMITH, and CO.—At 30 Temple-street, Stanmore, at 11, Furniture, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At the Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Blankets, etc.; at 3, Sundries.

E. H. BRODRIBB.—At the Rooms, at 11, Pianos, E.P. Ware, Carpets, Furniture, etc.

C. R. BROWN.—At 265 Pitt-street, at 11, Guns, Jewellery, Fancy Goods, etc.

N. RUMEISEN.—At 16 Oxford-square, at 2.30, Contents of a Library, etc.

MITCHELL and CRANSTON.—At 47 Pitt-street, Redfern, at 11, Furniture, etc.

H. COHEN and SON.—At 84 George-street West, at 2.30, Furniture, etc.

FERGUSON and GREVILLE.—At 72 King-street, Newtown, at 2.30, Furniture, Tools, etc.

MEDCALF and CO.—At Halloran-street, Leichhardt, at 2.30, Furniture, etc.

WOOL AND STATION PRODUCE.

At the Sydney Wool Exchange, Wool.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, at 10.30, 11.30, and 12, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness; at Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

J. H. BEALE and CO.—At Camperdown Yards, at 2.30, Horses.

At Turner-street, Redfern, at 11, Horse, Vehicles, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. BARNETT and PUGH.—On the Site, Thomas-street, at 10.45, Steel and Iron Girders; at 11, Building Materials, etc.

W. C. DOUGLASS, 38-5 Liverpool-street, Sydney, holds large stocks of everything appertaining to the Grocery Trade. Special Wholesale Agent for "A.B.C." Tea, "Breakfast D-Light," "Bovril," "Bird's Custard Powders," Daum's Extract of Coffe, Courtenay's Sauce, "Sahia" Cocoa, Reliance Tobacco.—Advt.

NESTLE'S MILK is the richest in cream, and is therefore most economical.—Advt.

KAMERUKA CHEDDAR CHEESE was awarded a Grand Prix at the Franco-British Exhibition.—Advt.

Ellis and Co., Live Stock and Produce Merchants.—Sales of Hay, Chaff, etc., held at Redfern daily.—Advt.

NORTH COAST Co-op. Co.'s BUTTER and A (in circle) BACON, increased arrivals. Supplies obtainable from The Coastal Farmers' Co-op. Society, Ld., 374-80 Sussex-street, Sydney.—Advt.

NESTLE'S MILK has been the food of thousands of Australian infants during the past thirty years.—Advt.

DR. SHELDON'S NEW DISCOVERY, for COUGHS and COLDS and all Throat Troubles. Absolutely guaranteed. 1/6 and 3/.—Advt.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures the worst cold. Try it.—Advt.

Don't try experiments when feeding baby, but use NESTLE'S MILK.—Advt.

MINING.

THE SHARE MARKET.

A weak market was experienced yesterday morning in some silver shares, as will be seen by the fact that B.H. Souths, paid, declined from £6/9/ to £6/7/6, B.H. Souths, contg, from £6/4/ to £6/2/6, and B.H. Junction North from 39/ to 38/9. On the other hand, B.H. South Blocks and British (old), held firm at late rates. Zinc Corporation, pref., sold for London delivery, at 50/, as against 53/ for ordinary delivery locally last week. There were also sellers /6 under late rates.

Copper scrip was listless, only three stocks being dealt in, Kangiara Proprietary, paid, firming a shade, Kyloe Copper, preference, advancing from 19/6 to 20/3, with Wallaroo and Moonta /3 better. In gold shares steady sales were recorded in Occidental, Gold Hill, and Harden Central, contg. In the tin section, Tongkah Harbour Tin Dredging opened firm at 37/6, but subsequently weakened to 36/6.

The outstanding feature of a quiet afternoon was the firm demand for shares in the Kyloe Copper Mines, and the advanced prices paid for shares on forward delivery. This was due to the knowledge that the developments at the 400ft during the last few days have been very marked. This is especially the case in the north drive, where a big body of high-grade frill ore has again come in at a distance of over 180ft from the shaft. This is much further north than the point at which the high-grade ore gave out in the level above. In addition, there is a substantial body of good milling ore at this end, whilst in the south drive the lode is again wide, carrying good values in milling ores.

Silver shares were again on the weak side, the same being the case with Tongkah Harbour Tin, whilst gold shares were neglected.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Budgery Mines	—	0 0 6
Canbelego, paid	—	0 5 3
Chillagoe, contributing	0 4 3	0 4 6
Grafton	—	1 1 0
Kangiara Mines	1 13 0	1 16 0
Kangiara North, contributing	—	0 0 3
Kangiara Propty.	0 4 6	0 4 8
Ditto, contributing	—	0 2 6
Kyloe	0 17 4½	0 17 10½
Ditto, preference	1 0 0	—
Lloyd Copper	0 2 5	0 2 8
Lobb's Hole	—	0 8 0
Ditto, contributing	—	0 4 0
M'Gregor-Cloncurry, paid	—	0 3 9
Mount Elliott	3 14 0	3 15 6
Mount Molloy	0 2 6	0 3 1
Mungana (Chillagoe)	0 3 0	0 3 6
O. K.	0 2 5	0 2 8
Queen Bee	0 5 6	0 5 9
Tolwong Minerals	—	0 10 0
Wallaroo and Moonta	2 2 0	—
TIN.		
Gilmore	0 1 0	—
Vegetable Creek	0 5 0	0 5 6
Vulcan	0 2 6	0 3 0
SILVER. New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	1 7 0	1 7 6
Ditto, Privileged	1 6 0	—
Broken Hill Proprietary	—	2 6 0
Ditto, Block 14	—	0 13 9
Ditto, preference	—	0 12 6
B. H. Junction	0 6 3	0 6 6
B. H. Junction North	1 18 6	1 18 9
B. H. South	6 6 0	6 8 0
B. H. South, contributing	6 1 0	—
B. H. South Blocks	1 13 9	1 14 0
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	1 0 3	1 1 0
Zinc Corporation, ord.	—	0 13 3
Ditto, preference	—	2 12 6
GOLD. New South Wales, etc.		
Baker's Creek	0 0 10	0 1 0½
Gold Hill	—	0 7 9
Ditto, contributing	0 6 5	0 6 9
Harden	1 8 9	1 9 6
Harden Central, paid	0 1 0	—
Ditto, contributing	0 0 10	0 1 2
Main Ridge Deep Leads	0 10 0	—
Ditto, contributing	0 8 0	—
Mount David	0 1 0	0 1 6
Myall and Peak Hill, paid	—	0 1 6
New Hillgrove Proprietary	0 0 2	0 0 5
Occidental	0 12 0	0 12 6
Dredging and Sluicing.		
Araluen Redbank	—	0 8 6
Bourke's Hill Tin	0 5 6	0 6 0
Buckland River	0 2 0	—
Ditto, preference	0 10 0	—
Cope's Creek	—	0 4 0
Great Britain Sluicing	1 6 0	—
Ovens Valley	—	0 5 6
Stanthorpe	0 2 0	—
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 16 0	1 16 6
Queensland—Charters Towers, etc.		
Bonnie Dundee	0 3 6	0 3 10
Brilliant Block, contributing	0 4 3	0 4 8
Brilliant Central	0 2 5	0 2 8
Brilliant Extended	0 1 0	—
Clark's Brilliant	—	0 1 6
East Mexican, paid	0 5 0	—
Mount Morgan	3 13 0	3 14 0
Ruby	—	0 2 2
Victory	—	0 2 6
Gympie.		
South Glanmire and Monkland	—	0 1 0
South Great Eastern, No. 2	0 1 6	—
Western Australia.		
Black Range	—	2 15 0
Chaffer's	0 3 3	—
Golden Pole	0 1 6	0 1 8
Great Boulder	1 4 9	1 5 3
Lake View Consols, L.R.	—	1 1 9
Lake View South	—	0 2 1
Sandstone Development	0 8 0	0 8 3

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

MORNING.

Copper.—Kangiara Proprietary, paid, 4/3; Kyloe Copper, pref., 20/2; Wallaroo and Moonta, 43/3.

Silver.—Zinc Corporation, pref., London delivery, 50/; B.H. Junction North, 38/9, 39/; one month, 39/; ordinary, 38/9; B.H. South Blocks, 34/; B.H. South, paid, £6 7/6; B.H. South, contg, £6/2/6; British (old), 27/3, 27/6.

Gold.—Occidental (Cobar), 12/6; New B. Freehold, 36/, 36/3; Gold Hill, contg, 6/9; Harden Central, contg, 1/.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour Tin, 37/6, 37/3; six weeks, 37/4½; ordinary, 36/6.

AFTERNOON.

Copper.—Kyloe Copper, pref., six weeks, 20/6; ditto, ordinary, six weeks, 18/3; Mungana, 3/2.

Silver.—B.H. South (contg), £6/2/; B.H. Junction North, 38/6, one month 38/9, six weeks 39/; B.H. South (paid), £6/7/, £6/7/6.

Gold.—Occidental, six weeks, 12/3; Brilliant Deeps, contg, 6/.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour Tin, 36/3; six weeks, 36/.

MINING NOTES.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs:—"The De Bavey Company have entered into a seven-years' contract with the Silverton Tramway Company to handle their output of concentrates and the tailings that will have to be carried to their mill. The rate is 2s 6d per ton up to 200,000 tons per annum, and 2s 3d per ton after that total is reached."

Samples of ore from the Canbelego copper mines were displayed yesterday at the Sydney Stock Exchange. One sample consisted of oxidised ore carrying metallic copper worth 15 per cent., taken from the shaft at a depth of 100 feet, and the other sulphide ore with bornite plainly visible. The latter sample came from the 200ft level, and carries 23 per cent. copper.

MILLING RETURNS.

The North Broken Hill Company's weekly return states:—Treated 3328 tons crude ore, assaying 16.0 p.c. lead, 7.3oz silver, and 15.6 p.c. zinc, producing 568 tons of concentrates, assaying 67.8 p.c. lead, 22.0oz silver, and 6.8 p.c. zinc.

The B.H. Junction North mill last week treated 2110 tons of crude ore, assaying 16.3 p.c. lead, 10.7oz silver, 10.5 p.c. zinc, producing 270 tons of concentrates, assaying 65.1 p.c. lead, 32oz silver, and 5.8 p.c. zinc. The recoveries were: Lead, 79 p.c.; silver, 52.4 oz. Lost time, one day's holiday.

The mill of the Central mine (Sulphide Corporation) last week treated 4152 tons of ore, and produced 1002 tons of concentrates, worth 28.3oz silver, 62 p.c. lead, and 9.8 p.c. zinc. During the same time, the Cockle Creek works produced 417 tons of bullion, containing 1457oz of gold and 34.105oz of silver.

MINING IN THE STATE.

PAMBULA, Monday.

The Combined Dionite Syndicate is now working on a nice lode 4ft wide, proved for a distance of 10ft, and yielding well.

YERRANDERIE, Monday.

Messrs. A. Harris, W. King, and T. E. Hobbs, directors of the Ruby Creek Silver and Lead Syndicate, have just paid a visit to the mine at Mount Werong. The tunnel, which is being continued by a grant of £300 from the Government Prospecting Vote, is in 238ft towards the lode. In driving it, a leader was cut, and gives good values. It was decided by the directors to let a contract to drive another 100ft, when it is almost certain the lode will be cut. An expert has been commissioned to report on the property. Locally, it is believed the mine will rival anything on the Yerranderie field.

BROKEN HILL MINES.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

The main shaft on Silver City Blocks is 86ft. The mineralised group in the bottom has given way to a sulphide body, assays of which give 20 per cent. zinc. Though silver and lead are both low, this change is very satisfactory.

The number of men employed on the Broken Hill mines at the end of September, according to figures supplied, was 5941, as against 5552 at the end of June last and 6602 12 months ago. This total is made up thus:—Proprietary, 596; Zinc Corporation, 260; South, 1122; Central, 1202; Junction, 65; South Blocks, 320; Block 14, 135; Block 10, 570; Junction North, 427; B.H. North, 726; British, 48; Be Bavay Plant, 300; stall and outside mines, 170; total, 5941. Before the strike, at the end of 1908, the total was 7010, and on the resumption of work in January about 4500.

A NEW GOLD REEF.

BATHURST, Monday.

The discovery of a new gold-reef near Sunny Corner is likely to infuse fresh life in mining in that locality. At the surface the vein was so small that it was thought to be unworthy of attention, but on an experienced reefer finding good values there, he started to sink, the reef widening out every foot. It is now 10in of thick solid quartz. Samples of stone brought in to town on Saturday showed visible gold. The quartz is of a very kindly nature.

THE WYALONG FIELD.

WEST WYALONG, Monday.

At the last meeting of the Wyalong Municipal Council a letter was received from the Mines Department, stating that Mr. Harper, Geological Surveyor, had been instructed to make an examination of Wyalong field at an early date, in connection with an application made by the council for an expenditure of £2000 in testing some of the lines of reef to a greater depth. It was pointed out that aid for such work could only be granted to the extent of 50 per cent. of the cost, based upon a shaft dimension of 6ft by 3ft. It was decided to ask that the aid might be extended to workings where the shafts exceeded the size stated.

THE MOUNT LYELL COMPANY.

INSPECTION OF NEW AREAS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The general manager of the Mount Lyell Company reports as follows respecting his recent visit of inspection to the company's leases situated in the mineral districts of the north-western part of Tasmania:—"A large track of country north of the Pieman River, covering a length of 25 miles north and south, by a width of 10 miles, has been prospected, and special attention devoted to the lodes of the Norfolk range, where copper was found in payable grade and quantity. To the north of this locality, several series of the leases have been located on promising outcrops, reaching to Mount Balfour. In view of the inaccessibility of the Norfolk range leases, it has been decided to bring further prospecting operations there to a close by the end of the year. Steps have been taken to further investigate the second-mentioned leases, the position of which now is much more accessible than was originally the case, and into which the outcrops of lodes known to exist at Mount Balfour district proper extend."

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MINES.

SOME SEPTEMBER GOLD YIELDS.

KALGOORLIE, Monday.

September gold yields:—Lancefield, 7943 tons, 3034 fine oz, valued £12,922; expenditure, £12,568.

Sirdar, 900 tons, 204oz, valued £841; expenditure £415, profit £426.

Golden Ridge, 2840 tons, for bullion valued at £5864; expenditure £3041, profit £2823.

Mararoa, 2607 tons, for bullion valued at £4700; expenditure £2553, profit £2146.

Northern Mines, 7502 tons, 1855 fine oz, valued at £8024; expenditure £7400, profit £624.

Oroya Black Range, 4595 tons, for 2729 fine oz, valued at £11,567; expenditure £7024, profit £4543.

Boulder Perseverance, 18846 tons, 7618oz, valued at £27,328; expenditure £22,251, profit £5077.

During September, the Great Fingall Company made a profit on ore treatment of £1537.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

Sales and quotations:—

Western Australian stocks: Associated, 20/, b 20/, s 20/6; Northern, b 7/3, s 7/5; Boulders, 24/10½, b 24/9, s 24/10½; Perseverance, 1/6 1, s 1/6; Chaffer's, 3/3, 3/11, b 3/10½, s 3/11½; Cumberland, 1/7, 2/1, 1/9, b 1/7, s 1/9; Golden Ridge, 20/7½, b 20/6, s 20/9; Golden Links, 4/9, b 4/3, s 4/9; Kalgurli, b £7/12/, s £7/14/; Lake View, b 20/, s 22/; Mararoa, 15/6, 16/, b 15/9; Marvel Lock, 4/1½; Princess Royal, 2/3, 2/4½; Sons of Gwalia, b 30/; ditto, South, b 18/6, s 19/6; Waihi, 2/9½, 2/10, 2/9½, b 2/9½, s 2/10.

Silver: Broken Hill 44/9, b 44/6, s 45/; British (old), b 27/, s 27/3; ditto (new), 26/7½, 26/9; B.H. Junction, 6/5, 6/4, 6/3, b 6/2, s 6/3; B.H. Norths, b 93/, s 94/6; B.H. Souths, paid, £6/6/, b £6/6/, s £6/7/6; ditto, contg, £6/2/, b £6/2/, s £6/3/; B.H. South Blocks, b 33/6, s 34/3; B.H. Junction North, 38/6, 38/7½, b 38/7½, s 38/9; Sulphides (ordinary), 20/3, b 20/5, s 20/4½; Zinc (ordinary), 12/9, b 12/6, s 12/9.

Copper: Mungana, 3/1; Einasleigh, 15/10½, b 15/9, s 16/3; Great Fitzroy, 30/, b 29/9, s 30/; Wallaroo, 42/, b 42/9, s 43/.

Tin: Stannary Hills (ordinary), 1/10, 1/9½, b 1/9, s 1/9½.

BENDIGO, Monday.

Sales:—Frederick the Great, 1/3; North Bendigo, 1/3; Suffolk United, 8/4½, 8/6; The Langdon, 1/10½; Unity, 1/8, 1/8½.

BRISBANE, Monday.

Sales:—Bonnie Dundee, 3/9; Brilliant, 1/11; R. Deeps Con., forward, 5/8; O.K., 2/5.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Monday.

Sales:—R. Deeps, 5/11; Carrington East, paid, 2/2; Mexicans, 4/7; Kulamadau, 3/0½; Marshall's, 2/11, 3/1½; Pfeiffers, 2/5; Q. Central, 1/6; Wallis, /6.

LAUNCESTON, Monday.

Quotations:—Tasmania, s 4/10; Magnet, s 17/; North Farrell, b 6/4, s 6/10; Hercules, s 11/6; Mount Bischoff, b 38/2/6, s 38/7/6; Arba, b 6/6, s 9/; Pioneer, s 17/½; Mutual Hill, b /10, s 1/3.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

To-day's sales were:—

Silver:—B.H. Junction North, 38/9; B.H. South, £6/7/6; ditto, paid, £6/8/6, £6/8/; North Broken Hill, 93/6.

Copper:—Balfour Consol., £38; Balfour South, £39; Balfour Pioneer, £11, £12; Mt. Lyell, 38/; Mt. Balfour, £105; North Mt. Balfour, £36/10/, £35; Gt. Fitzroy, 29/10½, 30/, 29/9.

Tin:—Tingha Consolidated, pref., /9; Tongkah Harbour, 36/, 36/3; Y Water, 14/.

Gold: Ajax, 25/6; Cathcart, £5, £4/18/; Cathcart Central, 9/5, 10/6, 10/1; Cathcart Margaret, 1/8, 2/; Cathcart North, 7/6, 7/9; Champion, 2/; Duke Extended, 1/6; Frenchman's Reef, 2/; Great Southern Consols, 3/9, 4/; Langi Logan South, 12/, 11/4½, 11/9, 11/6; Langi Logan Extended, 2/3, 2/6; Long Tunnel, 48/, 53/, 56/, 54/; ditto Extended, 23/; New Langi Logan, 26/, 26/4½, 25/9; North Langi Logan, 9/, 8/5; North Woah Hawp, 8/1; Star of the East, 1/0½, 1/; Virginia, 62/6; Woah Hawp, No. 2, 1/3; Cumberland, 1/10; Mararoa, 15/6; Marvel Loch, 4/8, 4/5; ditto, paid, 4/2.

GOLD YIELDS.

The following additional yields were reported:—

	Oz.	Dwts.
Associated, No. 1 dredge, 134 hours	45	0
Associated, No. 2 dredge, 126 hours	22	0
Turon River, No. 1 dredge, 134 hours	16	0
Araluen Valley, No. 2 dredge, week	22	18

TIN YIELDS.

	Tons.	Cwts.
Herding Yards, 120 hours	2	2
Amalgamated Tin, No. 1 dredge, 86 hours	0	12
Amalgamated Tin, No. 2 dredge, 52 hours	2	7
Cope's Creek, cleaned up paddock	10	5
Stannum Tin, 44 hours	2	0

TIN MINING.

Stannum Tin-dredging Company, October 9:—Sluiced 44 hours, obtained 2 tons; water supply about 10 weeks.

Amalgamated Tin Dredging Company, Oct. 8.—No. 1 dredge: Sluiced 86 hours, obtained 12cwt 1qr tin concentrates. Water supply improved. No. 2 dredge: Sluiced 52 hours, obtained 47cwt tin concentrates. Barge was floated to new site last Tuesday, and sluicing was started on Wednesday last. Water supply good.

Cope's Creek Tin Dredging.—During the week the dredge worked 50 hours, and finally cleaned up the paddock for 10 tons 5cwt 1qtr of dressed tin ore. A 6 ton 4cwt 2qr 6lb parcel of this was sent away, the balance will go later. Preparations are now being made for floating the barge to new site early.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

The West Broken Hill Club fired a handicap match at 400 yards, but the conditions were against good shooting. The chief scores were:—Harris (1), 74; Sweeney (4), 73; Berry (6), 73; Correll (scr), 73.

COONAMBLE, Monday.

For the best aggregate shooting for the quarter ending September 30, the following members of the Coonamble Rifle Club won prizes:—W. J. Colless, 134; W. Kennedy, 127; C. Firth, 124; Nicholas Rigney, 116; Fred. Simon, 113.

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SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Of the 203 entrants for the Caulfield Cup 31 survived the declaration of final forfeit yesterday, and should all go to the post the total will be nine more than competed last year, and equal to the field in which Marvel Loch was successful in 1905. With the talent engaged the race promises to be one of the most interesting in the annals of the club. With the exception of Queensland, all the States of the Commonwealth are represented on the list, while New Zealand has that good mare, Artillerie, and Pink 'Un, to act on her behalf, and India is represented by the ex-New Zealander Aborigine. The Victorian contingent includes Iolaire, Pendil, Knox, Dhobi, Kerlie, Woorooma, Dunolly, and Nobel; Parsee, Kyeadgerie, Blue Book, Golden Slipper, Malt King, Loyal Blue, and Black Prince will do battle for New South Wales; the South Australians engaged comprise the ex-New Zealander Waipuna, Carl Dour, and Al Caaba; Post Town will act for Western Australia; and Flavel for Tasmania. A. Skirving is the only trainer on the list with more than one horse engaged in the mile and a half race, and his stable is represented by Monodist and Idyll.

The satisfactory entry of 134 was received yesterday for the Warwick Farm October meeting, of which the Maiden Handicap attracted 30, Liverpool Mile 17, Flying Welter 20, Warwick Handicap 19, Farm Stakes 25, and Stewards' Mile 23. The entrants are of fairly good quality.

The scratchings recorded yesterday in connection with the spring meeting of City Tattersall's Club were Kairoma out of the Hurdle Race, Nuwara Eliya out of the Flying Handicap, Ale and Contango out of the Club Mile, Hela out of City Tattersall's Club Handicap, and Kairoma out of the Welter Handicap.

Abbey Boy was yesterday relieved of his Melbourne Cup engagement at the office of the A.J.C.

The Orville Lodge team, comprising Son of the Marsh, Crofton, and Flavel, left for Melbourne on Sunday night by rail, and W. Kelso followed by last night's express.

The following race meetings have been granted registration by the A.J.C.:—Mogandale Picnic Race Club (October 29), Maitland Jockey Club (November 3), Lithgow Jockey Club (November 6), Murrumburrah Oddfellows (January 1), Come-by-Chance Amateur Turf Club (November 16), and Spring Flat Racing Club (January 1).

In sporting circles yesterday there was some demand for Pendil and Nobel for the Caulfield Cup, and several thousands were secured about both at long prices, after which they hardened considerably. Artillerie was a strong favourite, five points in advance of Golden Slipper, who was a couple of points from Pendil and Post Town; then at similar intervals followed Nobel, Kyeadgerie, Iolaire, and Dhobi. Trafalgar remained favourite for the Melbourne Cup, five points in front of Alawa, with Prince Foote a couple of points away next fancied.

The right to collect fees at the entrance gates at Randwick during the spring meeting of City Tattersall's Club next Saturday was sold yesterday by Messrs. William Inglis and Son for £445, the purchaser being Mr. Solomon.

A total of 65 entries was received yesterday for the Wollongong Jockey Club's October meeting.

Messrs. Wm. Inglis and Son report having sold to Mr. R. M'Kenna, for export to India, the b h Samurai, by Lennox from Henrietta.

VICTORIAN TRAINING NOTES.

SOME INTERESTING WORK.

CAULFIELD

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The weather was bright and fine this morning, when there was a lot of interesting work done by horses who have engagements on Wednesday. The grass track was open, and was fairly fast. Golden Slipper and Grist, who both were none the worse for the trip, half-paced. Vocal Memnon brought Bonnie Wallace home over the last six furlongs of a mile and a quarter covered in 2m 16s. Artillerie, who was full of life, did easy work. Parsee, who looks very light, merely cantered. Herr Mond slipped over five furlongs in 1m 11½s, and Burston covered a furlong less in 51s. Aborigine made light of a mile in 1m 53s; Kerlie (M'Cowen), Carl Dour (Hopwood), and Dunolly (Bolton) tried conclusions over a mile, which they accounted for in 1m 46½s, and Kerlie beat Carl Dour very easily by a neck, while Dunolly was two lengths off. Malmsey was not extended for nine furlongs in 2m 5½s, but he went further. Sir Edwin and Waipuna bowled along for a mile in 1m 46½s, and Moani travelled a furlong more in 2m 2s, and Ungarie took 2m 41s over the same distance. Bonax beat Fulminator badly when six furlongs had been run in 1m 18½s. Malt King was let off with an easy task. Kyeadgerie went easily for six furlongs in 1m 20½s. Seddon and Iolaire were on the bit for a mile in 1m 51½s. Delaware was sent a mile and a quarter, which took him 2m 18s, Cleopatra helping him over the concluding six furlongs in 1m 24s. Le Jeune, who was shoeless, beat Lord Dudley over four furlongs in 52½s. Aberdeen had no trouble in running a mile in 1m 50½s. Shackleton slipped over the last four furlongs of five in 53s. Irishman did easy pacing. Balgowan and Aurarius dashed off four furlongs in 51½s, Token in 53½s, and Salvia 57½s. Neirbo was responsible for a mile in 1m 50s, and Georgia ran a mile and a quarter in 2m 21s, pulling up. Sweet Brew spurted, but Prince Foote did not put in an appearance. Wha Has galloped a mile in 1m 55s, and Moriarty spurted four furlongs in 53½s.

FLEMINGTON.

The big sand track was in capital order, but there was not as much galloping as had been anticipated. Dhobi was fully extended for a mile, and with Boniface to help him for the first half in 52½s he completed the mile in 1m 49½s. Santos galloped a mile and a quarter in 2m 21s, and The Shifter went a furlong further two seconds over even time. Son of a Gun ran six furlongs in 1m 21½s. Post Town, who has tightened up considerably, had an easy task, and Alawa half-paced; but Mother Goose was not noticed. King's Ransom, Black Flag, and Renouncement finished in that order at the end of a mile in 1m 52½s. Sperry went nicely for a mile and a quarter in 2m 18½s. M'Culloch beat Mutilator over five furlongs in 1m 6s. Moruga got over a mile in 1m 56½s, and Monodist took 1m 50s. Woorooma started away steadily, and improving the pace completed a mile over the tan in 1m 51½s. Half-mile spurts were done by Pagan in 52½s, Bobby in 52s, Thistlebrook and Even Time in 53s, Still in 52½s, and Icarus and Kingsclere in 53s. St. Bob and Janus spurted three furlongs in 39s, and Vigilante, Audisite, and Glenspean took 40s.

VICTORIAN SCRATCHINGS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The scratchings notified to-day are as under:—

V.A.T.C. SPRING MEETING.

Eclipse Stakes: True Scot, Slipper.
All engagements: Didus, Theban, Limerre, Idealist, Mother Goose.
Moonga Handicap: Bessemer, Sunny South, Bobby, Socialist.
Mona Nursery: Manganite, Gunplay.
Coongy Handicap: Le Jeune, Slipper, Lord Desmond.
Windsor Handicap: Banquo.
Wyuna Steeplechase: Kuala Lumpur.
Emo Hurdle: Philip Worth.

V.R.C. SPRING MEETING.

Melbourne Cup: Aborigine, Saynden, Irishman, Sunny South, Kildean, Brasseur.
Derby: Lady Kernel filly, Sunny South.
Maribyrnong Plate: Precious and Lady Alwyne.

WILLIAMSTOWN CUP MEETING.

Williamstown Cup: Banavie.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Though C. Bolton has been engaged to ride Dunolly in the Caulfield Cup, he is desirous, it is said, of changing his mount. If he does, he will ride Kerlie or Malt King. The New Zealand jockey A. A. Oliver will ride Artillerie; while another New Zealand jockey, R. Cameron, will have the mount on Pink 'Un. C. Cooper will be up on Iolaire, R. Sutherland or E. King on Post Town, F. Connolly on Kyeadgerie, J. E. O'Brien on Waipuna, and J. Hopwood on Carl Dour; while W. Southey is wasting to get down to Knox's weight. A jockey has not yet been fixed for Pendil, but the Sydney rider J. E. Pike may be secured for him.

The owner of Prince Foote was very disappointed at the colt's defeat in the Caulfield Guineas on Saturday. He does not intend to put F. Connelly up again, and D. M'Carthy, who rode the colt to victory in the A.J.C. Derby, will have the mount on him in the V.R.C. Derby.

Mr. "Baron" is more anxious to win classic races than even the big handicaps, and he has not quite made up his mind as to Prince Foote's starting in the Melbourne Cup. However, if he comes out of his Derby engagement well, it is extremely probable that the colt will take his place in the Melbourne Cup field.

From what transpired to-day it would appear that both Pendil and Nobel are expected to run well in the Caulfield Cup. Pendil is trained privately at Bonnyvale, and has not yet reached Melbourne. The races won by him last season included the Australian Cup and Champion Stakes, so there need be no fear as to his getting the Caulfield Cup distance.

Nobel is a New Zealand-bred gelding, 3 years old, owned and trained by E. A. Connolly, at Mordialloc. He has one race to his credit, the Balaclava Stakes, 9 furlongs, at the last V.A.T.C. August meeting, Sweet Bird and Kerlie following him home. Nobel is by Gladsome's sire Seaton Delavel, and has but 6st 13lb in the Caulfield Cup.

A sale of racehorses was held to-day by Messrs. W. C. Yuille and Co., and the following lots changed hands:—Pedica, Mr. A. Isaacs, 81 guineas; Bowbells, Mr. A. Isaacs, 47½ guineas; Honeybear, Mr. A. Clark, 100 guineas; Wooroogilin, Mr. R. Noble, 9 guineas; Antique, Mr. James O'Keefe, 7 guineas; Domineer, Mr. H. J. Smith, 14 guineas.

CAULFIELD CUP ACCEPTANCES.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The following remain in after payment of final forfeit for the

CAULFIELD CUP.—1½m.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Iolaire	9	1	Dhobi	7	5
Post Town	8	13	Kerlie	7	3
Parsee	8	9	Monodist	7	1
Aborigine	8	9	Loyal Blue	7	1
Pink 'Un	8	7	Woorooma	6	13
Pendil	8	7	Dunolly	6	13
Knox	8	1	Nobel	6	13
Kyeadgerie	8	1	Mindful	6	13
Blue Book	8	1	Black Prince	6	13
Waipuna	7	13	Carl Dour	6	11
Artillerie	7	11	Al Caaba	6	11
Golden Slipper	7	9	Idyll	6	7
The Shifter	7	9	Trelo Vouni	6	7
Malt King	7	7	Aberdeen	6	7
Thistlebrook	7	7	Manana	6	7
Flavel	7	5			

CITY TATTERSALL'S CLUB.

SPRING MEETING.

Subjoined are the weights for next Saturday's meeting:—

HURDLE RACE, about 2m.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Kairoma	11	7	Stanbar	9	5
Leadstar	11	4	Hotstuff	9	0
Black Reynard	11	0	Black Opal	9	0
Hermes	10	8	Extravagant	9	0
Skibo	10	2	Sulu	9	0
Blue Streak	10	0	The Dip	9	0
Vylanda	10	0	Fiddlestring	9	0
Arizona	9	10	Yellow Aster	9	0
Treat	9	5	Master Fred	9	0
Golden Brown	9	5			

FLYING HANDICAP, 6f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Borodino	9	5	Mundic	7	9
Golden Slipper	9	0	Nuwara Eliya	7	6
Plush	8	8	Chlorite	7	2
Comus	8	4	Adjacent	6	12
Lady Ruenalf	8	3	Splice	6	12
Rose Ailie	8	2	Loki	6	12
Haco	8	0	Banquo	6	7
Flavigny	7	9	Tomla	6	7
Storey	7	9	Wedding Present	6	7

NOVICE HANDICAP, 1m.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Lord Gambol	9	5	Sairano	7	7
Tabu	8	10	Sir Simpleton	7	7
Osmo	8	7	Eris	7	4
Flavinia	8	2	Yiddah	7	4
La Bonne	7	11	My Gun	7	4
Mellite	7	10	Doon Lassie	7	2
Minea	7	10	Quentin	7	0
Dr. Lunn	7	10	Michalowa	7	0
Dryite	7	10	The Royal Friar	7	0
Vauntie	7	10	Lancealar	7	0
Erin	7	10	Blue King	7	0
Lord Hampton	7	7	Santiago	7	0

CLUB MILE.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Eric	10	12	Ale	8	6
Mundoie	10	7	Nangroo	8	4
Proportion	10	0	Dryite	8	4
Grey Plume	9	7	Pinfall	8	0
Thrust	9	7	Duke of Clarence	8	0
The Reckoning	9	7	Philipic	8	0
Silver Hampton	9	7	Contango	8	0
War Bee	9	5	Rose Linnet	8	0
Hockleberry	9	3	Black Range	8	0
Rhoebus	9	0	Autonina	8	0

CITY TATTERSALL'S HANDICAP—1¼m.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Eric	9	5	War Bee	7	6
Dalrymple	8	6	Black Buck	7	5
Achillean	8	6	Hela	7	3
Proportion	8	6	Fortunate	7	0
Yabba Gabba	8	6	Diti	7	0
Lady Wilde	8	4	Outbreak	6	13
Grist	8	4	Loki	6	13
Alias	8	4	Wee laddie	6	12
Lady Ruenalf	8	2	Wallensis	6	7
Pharos	8	1	Duke of Clarence	6	7
Sheen	7	13	Shaftesbury	6	7
Britain	7	10	Golden City	6	7
Silver Hampton	7	10	Simmerina	6	7

FLYING WELTER—6f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Adonis	10	7	Lord Hybla	8	10
Waddell	10	2	Lord Gambol	8	10
Haco	10	0	Osmo	8	10
Specimen	10	0	Graffire	8	10
Brilliant Boy	9	9	Rose Linnet	8	7
Storey	9	9	Orcus	8	7
Mundic	9	8	Fight On	8	7
Kairoma	9	8	Quentin	8	7
Bungledoo	9	8	Norty Gurl	8	7
Barley Brew	9	2	Europa	8	7
Hard Nail	8	12	Porch	8	7
Hope Royal	8	12	Doon Lassie	8	7
Splice	8	12			

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VICTORIA AMATEUR TURF CLUB.

SPRING MEETING.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The weights for the minor events to be run at Caulfield on Wednesday are as under:—

Mona Nursery, 4f.—Desert Rose, 9st 1lb; Habel, 8st 12lb; Bass, 8st 3lb; Charan, 8st 1lb; Gunplay, 8st 1lb; Rheims, 8st 1lb; Quicksand, 8st 1lb; Sweet Brew, 7st 13lb; Tornea, 7st 12lb; Tatala, 7st 12lb; Danaus, 7st 12lb; Sea God, 7st 12lb; Camballo, 7st 12lb; First Aurate, 7st 12lb; Gold Cord, 7st 11lb; St. Bob, 7st 11lb; Spanker, 7st 9lb; The Pagan, 7st 9lb; Boil Over, 7st 9lb; Rigadoon, 7st 9lb; Vigilante, 7st 9lb; Manganite, 7st 7lb; Procne, 7st 7lb; Aromatic, 7st 7lb; Pendulous, 7st 7lb; Lady Olne, 7st 7lb; Ocea, 7st 7lb; Still 7st 7lb; Lisheen, 7st 7lb; Glenpean, 7st 7lb; Shackleton, 7st 7lb; Icarus, 7st 7lb; Diomed, 7st 5lb; Teringa, 7st 5lb; Aluminite, 7st 5lb; Maletta, 7st 3lb; Bambra, 7st 3lb; Tanami, 7st 1lb; Waska, 7st 1lb; Pircurra, 7st 1lb; Thelan, 7st 1lb; Bobolina, 7st 1lb; Powder Puff, 7st 1lb; Albarada, 7st 1lb; Aizen, 7st 1lb.

Coongy Handicap, 1m and 3f.—Iolaire, 9st 11lb; Blue Book, 8st 13lb; Kyeadgerie, 8st 10lb; Ungarie, 8st 8lb; Waipuna, 8st 6lb; The Shifter, 8st 1lb; Mother Goose, 8st 1lb; Slipper, 8st 6lb; Carl Dour, 8st 1lb; Dhobi, 8st 1lb; Enchanteur, 7st 12lb; Seddon, 7st 13lb; Didus, 7st 9lb; Kerlie, 7st 9lb; Aberdeen, 7st 7lb; Mindful, 7st 5lb; Dunolly, 7st 5lb; Woorooma, 7st 5lb; Delaware, 7st 5lb; Grist, 7st 4lb; Danilo, 7st 5lb; Le Jeune, 7st 3lb; Nobel, 7st 1lb; Sir Edwin, 6st 13lb; Monodist, 6st 13lb; Moani, 6st 9lb; Florance, 6st 9lb; Lord Desmond, 6st 7lb; Moruga, 6st 7lb; Trelo Vouni, 6st 7lb; Burston, 6st 7lb; Somnambulist, 6st 7lb; Manana, 6st 7lb; Diabolo, 6st 7lb; Seven Oaks, 6st 7lb; Katanga, 6st 7lb; Bonnie Wallace, 6st 7lb; Georgia, 6st 7lb.

Moonga Handicap, 5½f.—Irishman, 10st 7lb; Miss Bobby, 9st 3lb; Lady Ronald, 9st 1lb; Son of a Gun, 9st 1lb; Young Fred, 8st 12lb; Sunny South, 8st 11lb; Bobby, 8st 9lb; Socialist, 8st 9lb; Token, 8st 7lb; Mindful, 8st 5lb; Herr Mond, 8st 1lb; Salvia, 8st 1lb; Monodist, 8st 1lb; Moriarty, 8st 12lb; Saltare, 7st 12lb; Ngaurahoe, 7st 11lb; Saynden, 7st 11lb; Naradhan, 7st 9lb; Golightly, 7st 9lb; Harcs, 7st 9lb; Bessemer, 7st 9lb; Bonax, 7st 9lb; Lady Joan, 7st 7lb; Brasseur, 7st 7lb; Flowerdale, 7st 7lb; Merrywether, 7st 7lb; Aurious, 7st 7lb; Autuml, 7st 2lb; Kobelik, 7st 3lb; Balgowan, 7st 3lb; Lord Dudley, 7st 3lb; Sunlike, 7st 1lb; Miss Gwen, 6st 13lb; Bessemer, 6st 12lb; M'Culloch, 6st 11lb; Lorenzo, 6st 13lb; Lord Druce, 6st 7lb; King's Clere, 6st 7lb; Keynote, 6st 7lb; Orissa, 6st 7lb; Maltese Cross, 6st 7lb; Glenalla, 6st 7lb; Still Water, 6st 7lb; Wiridgel, 6st 7lb.

WARWICK FARM RACING CLUB.

OCTOBER MEETING.

The following entries have been received for the October meeting on the 23rd inst.:—

Maiden Handicap, 6f.—Mount Terell, Trudy, Giddy Girl, Grand Vitesse, Jenny Sharp, Santiago, Illinois, The Royal Friar, Europa, Fight On, Elegy, Lotroma (late Maid of Athens), Tanbar, Otta Grafton, Pine King, Munro, Fancy Step, Replica, Stray, Frisky, Rose Ivy, Maintenon, Barrel, My Gun, Congo, Charing Cross, Blue Flyer, Sancy Win, Nervana, Stair (late May Day).

Liverpool Mile.—Comus, Purple Straw, Confetti, Brackenburg, Maramore, The Reckoning, Outbreak, Plush, Ennismar, Kileren, Orepan, Rose Ailie, Rhoebus, Lady Wilde, Lady Ruenalf, Intermezzo, Haco.

Flying Welter, 6f.—Adonis, Storey, Empirical, Larry, Nandillyan Maid, Field Gun, Orfano, Lady Addie, Frederick, Splice, Hope Royal, Forte, Helga, Maltha, Maori Girl, Osmo (late Osman), Barley Brew, Plaiden, Merri, Fight On.

Warwick Handicap, 1¼m and 100yds.—Claude, Thrust, War Bee, Pharos, Trenchmore, Nangroo, Chamade, Wee Laddie, Legation, Wood King, Dryite, Keen, Orepan, Rose Ailie, Dalrymple, Fortunate, Yiddah, Lady Ruenalf, Duke of Clarence.

Farm Stakes, 6f.—Mount Terell, Mellite, Boro, Grand Vitesse, Jenny Sharp, Minea (late Marsh), Santiago, M.K., Loch Laurel, Field Gun, Forte, Munro, Lady Hasty, Barito, Stray, Ulmus, Rose Ivy, Extravagant (late Dissipation), Barrel, My Gun, Carrode, Blue Flyer, Sancy Win, Porch, Tibi.

Stewards' Mile.—Myrabluan, Fonres, Mellite, Storey, Claude, Larry, Thrust, Fighting Scult, Gate, The Royal Friar, The Reckoning, Victoria Cross, Splice, Keen, Ennismar, Oreel, Kilcrew, Naughty, Claude Loftus, Fortunate, Erin, Intermezzo, Duke of Clarence.

GOULBURN EIGHT HOURS' RACE MEETING.

GOULBURN, Monday.

The weights for Eight-Hour Day races are:—

Werriwa Handicap.—Schoolboy, 9st 6lb; Lynden, 8st 12lb; Le Suer, 8st 7lb; Invernay, 8st; Osltana, 7st 5lb; Roslyn, 6st 10lb; Olivia, 6st 10lb.

Eight-Hour Handicap.—Schoolboy, 9st 5lb; Cardross, 8st 12lb; Lynden, 8st 10lb; Retara, 8st 5lb; Wartop, 6st 12lb.

Publicans' Purse.—Schoolboy, 9st 6lb; Cardross, 9st; Lynden, 8st 12lb; Le Suer, 8st 7lb; Retara, 8st 7lb; Reform, 7st 7lb; Osltana, 7st 5lb; Lynross, 6st 12lb.

WOLLONGONG JOCKEY CLUB.

OCTOBER MEETING.

The following are the entries for the meeting to be held on the 19th inst.:—

Kembla Welter, 7f.—Larry, Zealot, Very Canny, Victoria Cross, Outbreak, Pinfall, Jibe, Trenchmore, Metal King, Osmo, Thona, Rosa Vere.

Maiden Welter, 6f.—Loch Laurel, Replica, Faradale, Very Canny, Lotroma, Googlie, Babillard, Fight On, Rose Joy, Fancy Step, My Gun, Stan, Banteen.

Allowrie Stakes, 6f.—Brackenberg, Newport, Harbour Light, Le Vivant, No Trumps, Naughty, Maltha, My Gun, Jibe, Osmo, Haco, Maori Girl, Flavina.

Trial Stakes, 6f.—Grenfell (late Spanker), Newport, Replica, Maltrona, Latroma, Babillard, Fight On, Lady Hasty, Rose Joy, Ulmus, Stan, Thona, Rosa Vere.

Wollongong Handicap, 1m.—Nangroo, Rhoebus, Zealot, Very Canny, Victoria Cross, Outbreak, Pinfall, Amphora, Naughty, Ulmus, Trenchmore, Osmo, Haco, Flavina.

LAWN TENNIS.

WILDING IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Monday.

Wilding, of New Zealand, arrived by the R.M.S. Osterley to-day, and will play in the Australasian championship singles next Saturday.

BLACKTOWN, Monday.

The Toongabbie Club defeated the Riverstone Club on Saturday by two games.

BOWLS.

N.S.W. v VICTORIA.

NEW SOUTH WALES TEAM.

The selection committee yesterday selected the following players to represent New South Wales against Victoria in Melbourne:—H. J. Waring (Kuring-gai), W. Denyer (Warringah), N. H. D. Hobson (Ashfield), J. Harrison (Ashfield), — Lewis (Balmain), C. Morrison (Waverley), W. Taylor (St. George), G. A. Chapman (Chatswood), F. Searl (Petersham), W. Davidson (Petersham), H. Freeman (Mosman), J. J. Beauvais (Randwick), A. J. Whitehouse (City), H. Ross (City), H. Thorpe (City), C. Forsberg (City).

Emergencies: G. Saffan (Randwick), M. Moran (City), G. Johnson (Mosman), A. Neakes (Ashfield), — Love (Strathfield).

GOLF.

BONNIE DOON G.C.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS.

Choice score for trophy presented by Miss Marks:—

Mrs. Aitken	40—3=37	Miss C. Trevor	
Mrs. Kell	49—12=37	Jones	45—4=41
Miss Leslie	46—8=38	Miss Murdoch	54—13=41
Mrs. Mole	54—15=39	Mrs. Cox	51—6=45
Miss Boys	43—3=40	Mrs. Wallis	54—5=49
Mrs. Roberts	47—6=41	Miss Fahey	64—15=49

MAITLAND G.C.

MAITLAND, Monday.

Mixed foursomes were played on Saturday, with the following results:—

H. E. Wilkinson and Miss M. Power	53—10=43
S. R. Beatty and Miss Beatty	50—6=44
F. W. Price and Miss E. Harrison	49—2=47
R. G. Clift and Mrs. Friend	50—3=47
J. V. Curtin and Mrs. Curtin	53—6=47
E. P. Carr and Miss M. Power	53—6=47
W. Anderson and Miss Mair	59—12=47
T. H. Wilkinson and Miss Dale	58—9=49
R. L. Logan and Miss Gray	64—14=50
W. A. M'Donald and Miss Parr	59—7=52
A. J. Bray and Miss Brewster	74—15=59
W. H. Foster and Miss Blair	72—12=60

BOXING.

DUNGOG, Monday.

A boxing contest took place at the Dungog Stadium on Saturday night between W. Coleman, employed on the second section of the railway, and J. Logan, of Newcastle, for a purse of £20. After a good battle Logan was knocked out in the 11th round, Coleman having the best of the fight throughout the contest.

LITHGOW, Monday.

On Saturday night George Bradley, of Lithgow, and Bert Jones, of Portland, boxed for the lightweight championship of the west. After the eighth round Jones was awarded the prize on a foul.

CATHOLIC CONGRESS "FACTS."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Under the above heading, in Wednesday's issue of the "Herald," "James Colwell" charges Cardinal Moran with historical inaccuracy. As a disinterested observer of the amenities interchanged by our Christian leaders now and again, may I venture the opinion that it was not the Cardinal's intention to reflect upon Methodism or its ministers when he spoke of the Methodist minister having been "hanged on suspicion of being a Roman Catholic priest." He was emphasising the difficulties and trials which the missionaries of his own Church had to encounter in their early efforts to establish Catholicism in America, and in quoting the example mentioned above he was illustrating how unsafe the life of a priest was in those days on the western continent. I can only hope that, for the sake of historical accuracy the Cardinal had reliable authority for claiming the martyr's crown for the "unfortunate" minister who nolens volens went to the scaffold. It is evident that the Cardinal and Mr. Colwell haven't studied history in the same school.

Mr. Colwell contends that since "Methodism was established in America in the year 1766," how could it be possible to have a Methodist minister hanged in 1741? No doubt this is a poser for the chronologist. Possibly Methodism wasn't unheard of in America before the year 1766. It is admitted on all sides that John Wesley and associates, who, if I mistake not, were the founders of Methodism, embarked for America in 1735, presumably to evangelise the Indians—a project which was ultimately abandoned. At all events, the little band of missionaries found scope for the exercise of their religious zeal till the close of their sojourn in the new country in the year 1738. Long before this, towards the end of 1729, Wesley and a few pious friends at Oxford had received the title "Methodist," and though the title may not have been inspired from heaven, it caught on. Could it by some strange fatality have followed Mr. Wesley and his companions to America, and, as we may suppose, have clung to the religious adherents they discovered there? Of course, Methodism hadn't as yet been galvanised into the religious system it was destined to become before Wesley's death. But the name was there. So it seems to me that Mr. Colwell's chronological alibi is not absolutely convincing. Thanking you in anticipation, Mr. Editor, for the insertion of this feeble attempt to reconcile historical "facts," and to help our Christian leaders to live in amity, which I hope your readers will not fail to appreciate, I am, etc.,

ONLOOKER.

SIR GEORGE DIBBS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—To-morrow (Tuesday) will be the birthday anniversary of the late Sir George Dibbs, and citizens throughout the State would, I have no doubt, appreciate even this brief reference to one whose lovable personality endures strongly to-day in the minds of a large section of the community. As time goes on the prescience, wisdom, and patriotism of the dead statesman, as seen in several of his administrative Acts, become more apparent than ever, and one may be permitted on this occasion to express the hope that a suitable memorial will one day be provided by the many admirers of one of Australia's great departed sons.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

IN THE INDUSTRIAL COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Application No. 590, of A.D. 1909.—In the matter of an application by the UNITED LABOURERS' PROTECTIVE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Trade Union, for the constitution of a Board for the industries of, viz.:—Builders' Labourers (exclusive of Hod Carriers, Crane Men, and Gear and Gantry Hands), Sewer Miners, Rock Gutterers, Hammer and Drill Men, Concrete Workers, Pick and Shovel Men, Labourers, and all such other classes of labour hereinbefore referred to employed in the industries of the Employees of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, and the Employees of the Sydney Harbour Trust, throughout the County of Cumberland.—Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Court, at the Court-house, Queen's-square, Sydney, on Monday, the eighteenth day of October, 1909, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the Court may hear the application for the constitution of a Board for the following group of industries, viz.:—Builders' Labourers (exclusive of Hod Carriers, Crane Men, and Gear and Gantry Hands), Sewer Miners, Rock Gutterers, Hammer and Drill Men, Concrete Workers, Pick and Shovel Men, and Labourers and all such other classes of labour hereinbefore referred to employed in the industries of the Employees of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, and the Employees of the Sydney Harbour Trust, throughout the County of Cumberland. Dated the ninth day of October, 1909. ARTHUR J. L. VERNON, Secretary abovenamed Applicant Union, Trades Hall, Sydney.

IN THE INDUSTRIAL COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Application No. 560, of 1909.—In the matter of an application by NEW SOUTH WALES SAWMILL AND TIMBERYARD EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION for the constitution of a Board for the following group of industries, viz.: Employees in Sawmills and Timberyards and Box and Case Factories.—Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Court, at the Courthouse, Queen-square, Sydney, on MONDAY, the eighteenth day of October, 1909, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the Court may hear the application, for the constitution of a Board for the following group of industries, viz.: Employees in Sawmills and Timber Yards and Box and Case Factories throughout the State (Districts of Rous and Richmond excepted). Dated the twenty-second day of September, 1909. A. E. JOHNS, Secretary abovenamed Applicant Union, Trades Hall, Sydney.

CORRECTION AND APOLOGY.

THE BRISBANE "WORKER'S" "SHOCKING REVELATION."

SLANDERING THE "BULLETIN."

Under the heading of "A Shocking Revelation" an article appeared in our issue of the 10th July, in which it was stated:—

"People who wondered why Sydney 'Bulletin' so suddenly ceased its condemnations of the Kid-Philp coalition need wonder no longer. A question asked and answered in the Queensland Assembly last week has solved the mystery. The sum of £20 per issue for 12 months is being ladled out to the red-faced 'Bully' for advertising the advantages of this State as a field for settlement. Just prior to the fixing up of the contract the 'Bulletin,' in the excess of its disgust at Kidston's coalition conduct, had declared it wouldn't be found dead in the same paddock with him. And those who still retained faith in the democracy of the great Protectionist organ that is printed on Freetrade paper rejoiced exceedingly thereat. With the formidable 'Bully' on their side, they felt that the coalition would soon receive its quietus. But, alas, a change came o'er the spirit of their dreams; The 'Bully's' denunciation of Kidston's treachery suddenly petered out. A deathly silence about the coalition pervaded its columns all at once."

We find now that the charge is absolutely without foundation, and we very much regret the publication of the article, and unreservedly apologise for any reflection cast on the reputation of the "Bulletin."

The "Bulletin" points out that it never made any contract with the Coalition Government; that its contract was dated three months before the coalition took place; that when it denounced the Kidston-Philp Government it was denouncing a profitable advertiser, and that not only was it not in any way to cease its hostility to the Queensland coalition, but that a perusal of its pages would show that its hostility had never ceased.

The "Worker" finds that the "Bulletin's" account of the circumstances is absolutely correct.

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THE WILLIAM-STREET DISASTER.

RETURN THANKS.

I desire to return my sincere and heartfelt THANKS to the many business firms, customers, and other friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and offers of help accorded to me for the loss sustained by the recent disastrous explosion and fire in William-street. Not being unable to communicate my Thanks personally, I take this opportunity through the press.

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For full particulars apply to the undersigned.

E. JOSKE, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between the undersigned JAMES CHANNON and WILLIAM POWELL HICKS, trading as the Hicks Preserving Company, at 573 Harris-street, Sydney, was determined and DISSOLVED on the fifth day of October inst. All debts owing by and to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said James Channon.

Dated this eleventh day of October, 1909.

JAMES CHANNON.

Witness—F. W. BARKER, Solicitor, Sydney.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF ALFRED JOHN MASON, Storekeeper, Boggabri, N.S.W.

All CLAIMS against the above Estate must be rendered to me on or before MONDAY Next, the 18th inst., otherwise they will not be recognised.

ALBERT BORCHARD, Public Accountant, Equitable-building, George-street.

Sydney, 12th October, 1909.

ARTHUR KEY FARRAR MEMORIAL FUND.—Old Boys of the Sydney Grammar School are invited to send subscriptions to R. H. BODE and T. P. STRICKLAND, Joint Hon. Secs. and Treas., Syd. Gram. Sch.

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CARPENTER wanted, accustomed to repairs. 12 Burren-st, Erskineville tram terminus.

CARPENTER, long job, able to take charge. State quals., letter, Builder, Turner, Tate, Sum. Hill.

CORSET Machinists, power bench; also Apprentices, gd. wages. Madame Pauline, 540½ Geo.-st, opp. T. H.

CAP TRADE.—Smart Girls, able work machine. Opas's, 545 Central Arcade, Geo.-st, nr. L'pool-st.

CAP MACHINISTS.—Wanted, competent Hands, good pay. Arthur P. Stewart, 129 York-st.

CARPENTER, smart, Speedhunt, next Parson, painter, Victoria-rd, Marrickville, early.

CANVASSERS. Wanted, a smart MAN, to canvass door to door. 23 Newington-rd, Marrickville.

CONFECTIONERY BUSINESS.—CAPABLE PACKER, for town and country orders, wanted. Apply, stating wage required, Packer, Box 988, G.P.O.

CORSETS.—Lady, with knowledge of this trade, suitable figure, wanted, give occasional demonstrations for manufacturers. Corset, Herald.

CHARTERS TOWERS DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

Applications invited for the Position of RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER for the above institution. Salary, £500 per annum, with residence, fuel, light, water, etc, also right to consultations. Duties commence 10th December. Applications, endorsed "Medical Superintendent," will be received up to the 8th November, by the Secretary, District Hospital, Charters Towers, North Queensland.

Further particulars may be obtained from Messrs. GORDON and GOTCH, Pitt-street, Sydney.

DENTISTS.—Wanted, compt. Man, for city, perm. position. Apply, first instance, Cosmos, Herald.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, smart Improver and Apprentice. Miss Dillon, 55 Sydney Arcade.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, compt. Bodice and Skirt Hands, also Imprvrs. Miss Calder, 151 Miller-st, N.S.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, experienced Bodice Hands. Miss Walker, 374 Pitt-st, next G.P.O.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, at once, smart Improver. Miss Davidson, 44 Paddington-st, Paddington.

DRESSMAKING.—Smart Apprentices and Improvers, Miss Long, 110 Jersey-rd, Paddington.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Bodice Hand, Skirt Hand, and Improver. 54 Palace-st, Petersham.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Improvers, start at once, constant if suit. Miss Kenway, Burwood-rd, Burwd.

DRESSMAKING.—Wtd., 1st-class Bodice Hds., Improvers. Mrs. Cook, 141 Military-rd, Neutral Bay.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, smart Young Improvers and Machinists. 26 Enmore-rd, Newtown.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, a good Sleeve Hand, also Improvers. Miss Buck, 455 Oxford-st, Paddington.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, at once, smart, bodice hds., Imps. Miss O. Donnell, Short st, Randwick.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, compt. Bodice, Skirt Hands, Mach., Imprs., Apps. 118 King-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Apprens. wtd., gd. wages to smart Girls. Miss Waller, Glenmore, Bray-st, Nth. Syd.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Assistants for Bodices, gd. salary. 57 Trafalgar-st, Annandale.

DRESSMAKER wanted, by the day, competent. Apply after 8, 97 Elizabeth-st, Redfern.

DRESSMAKING.—Skirt Hands, Improvers, Apprentices, also good Mach. 118 D'lington-rd, Darlington.

DRESSMAKING.—Smart Improvers wanted, at once. Miss Mitchell, 100 New Canterbury-rd, Petersham.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Bodice and Skirt Hands; Improvers and Apprents. Miss Talty, 186 Q.V. Mkts.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Improver to Skirts; also smart Outdoor Worker. 569 Crown-st, Surry Hills.

DRESSMAKING.—Bodice and Skirt Hands, Improvers, perm. 491 Crown-st, Surry Hills.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Bodice Hands, Improvers, and Apps. Miss Keshan, 57 Sydney Arcade.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, smart Improver, good wages, quick wkr. Savage, 67 Spring-st, Wav.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, once, exp., Bodice Hands, Improvers, Apprentices. Mrs. Cockerill, Equit.-bld.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Bodice and Skirt Hands, Improvers, good sal. Miss Malone, Marrickville-rd.

DRESSMAKING. Comp. BODICE HANDS, also IMPROVERS, good salary. Misses EASTON and MARTIN, 24 Victoria Arcade, Castlereagh-street, opp. Hotel Australia.

DRESSMAKING.—First-class MACHINISTS, for high-grade work, ladies' costumes. After 10 o'clock every day. GEORGE H. HENRY, 80 Bathurst-street.

DRAPERS.—Good opening for smart Man in Suburban Cash Business, must be good window dresser and ticket writer. Apply E. H. W., Box 520, G.P.O.

DENTISTS.—Good opening in leading suburb, excellent position, good rooms and show window, terms reasonable. Apply SAGE and CO., 45 Elizabeth-street, city.

FEEDBOYS wanted, letterpress machine. Apply Hollander and Govett, Ltd., Grosvenor-st.

POSITIONS VACANT.

DRESSMAKING. Required. A LADY OF GOOD ADDRESS, to take charge of one of our Principal Dressmaking Rooms. Must be GOOD FITTER, and with previous CITY EXPERIENCE. GOOD POSITION AND SALARY TO COMPETENT HAND. Apply BOX 1398, G.P.O. OPEN 6 DAYS.

FEED BOY wanted, letterpress machines; also Folding Machines, hisn. w. Ross Bros., 545 Kent-st.

FLOORLAYER, also Boy. Apply Floorer, Stidwell's job, Maclaren-st, N. Sydney.

FENCERS.—Wanted, a good Man to erect sawn fencing, bring tools. Stephens, bldr., Long Bay.

FELLMONGER, accustomed to treat head pieces, on piecework. Applicants to state price per lb. washed wool. By letter, to Box 899.

FURNISHING DRAPERY.—Wanted, a first-class FIXER, must be competent, and have first-class credentials. Permanent position and good wages offered. Splendid opportunity for a smart man. Apply Mr. WHITELAW, DAVID JONES, Ltd.

FINISHERS wanted, for COSTUMES, BLOUSES, SKIRTS, etc. W. E. WARD and CO., Ltd., 418 Kent-street.

FOREWOMAN. Wanted, experienced FOREWOMAN, must be competent. For particulars apply Mr. BIDDOLPH, M. CROMAR and CO., 222 Clarence-street, 5th floor.

GIRLS.—Wanted, Girls, to learn boot machining, good wages. Vickery and Co., 201 Castlereagh-st.

GROCERS.—Wanted, JUNIOR, able to drive. W. Griffiths, 128 Weston-rd, Rozelle.

GROCER.—Wanted, Smart CARTER, union wages, references. I.X.L., Herald, King-st.

GROCERS.—Wanted, smart Young Man, Counter Hand, etc. Apply 80 Regent-st, Redfern.

GIRLS wanted, used hairpad making. Australian Hairpad Co., 5 Trafalgar-st, Stanmore.

GROCERS.—Wanted, good Counter Hand, one used to Provisions, best wages. A. B. C., N'town P.O.

GIRL wanted, just left school, learn light trade, wages to commence. 69 Bathurst-st.

GIRLS wanted, able to sew. Aeroplane Factory, 88 Brumby-st, Surry Hills.

GIRLS, to learn Cardboard Boxmaking, light and clean trade, good wages to start. NATIONAL CARDBOARD BOX CO., Buckland and O'Connor streets, off George-st West.

HARNESS.—Wanted, a STITCHER, at once. A. D. Poole, Hurstville.

HAIRDRESSING.—Young Lady wanted as APPRENTICE. 16 Strand, city.

INTELLIGENT BOYS required. Apply Davies, Shephard, and Co., Annandale.

INVOICE CLERK, experienced, references. S. Hoffnung and Co., Ltd., Pitt-st.

Department of Agriculture, Sydney, 9th October, 1909.

INSPECTORS UNDER "VINE AND VEGETATION DISEASES ACT."

APPLICATIONS are invited for three positions of TEMPORARY INSPECTORS under the "Vine and Vegetation Diseases Act," to be stationed at the Northern Rivers, for the purpose of inspecting and issuing certificates for potatoes, etc. The salary will be at the rate of £3 per week, with a travelling allowance of 30s per week. Applicants must be in personal attendance at this office on TUESDAY, the 12th instant, at 11 a.m., with their written applications.

H. C. L. ANDERSON, Under-Secretary. (5e-d)

JUNIOR CLERK required for saleroom, good writer, quick at figures. Box 180, G.P.O.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted for leading Financial Institution, must write good hand, possess knowledge of Typewriting. Apply with copies of reference to FINANCE, Herald Office, King-street.

LABOURERS.—2 smart Builders Labourers. Hughes, Limited, Wool Scourers, Botany.

LADY Traveller, represent City Firm, country districts, experience not necessary. C. M. S., Herald.

LAD, used to Spirit Bottling and Labelling, wanted. State age to Spirit Merchant, Herald Office.

LITHO. FEEDBOY wanted. Apply McCarron, Stewart, and Co., 44 Pitt-st.

LAD, smart, to assist Carpenter. Apply Sidney Bray, 25 Jamieson-st, city.

LABOURER wanted, 2 days, break bricks and mix concrete. 73 Mitchell-rd, Alexandria, early.

LAD wanted for bakehouse, wages 15s, able to drive. Wilson, Pastrycook, Military-rd, Mosman.

LABOURER wanted, used to trenches. Job, Leichhardt-st, Glebe Point.

LABOURERS, for concrete, 20 wanted, 1s per hour. W. Sommer, Elizabeth-st, widening.

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY has a VACANCY for an Office BOY. Apply, with testimonials, to POLICY, Herald Office.

LINOTYPE Operator-Machinist wanted, for country office, Mergenthaler double magazine machine. State speed, salary, etc. PARSONS TRADING CO., Stock Exchange, Sydney.

LIFT BOY. Wanted, a BOY, to drive Hydraulic Lift, must have previous experience, good hours, Saturday afternoons and evenings off. Apply 9 a.m. HORDERN BROTHERS, Pitt-street.

MILLINERY.—APPRENTICES and IMPROVERS; at once. Miss Piper, near Stanmore station.

MATRON.—MATRON wanted for suburban Catholic college. Apply P. F., Herald.

MACHINISTS for skirts. Enterprise Mfg. Co., 47 Market-st.

MACHINIST wanted for underclothing, one used to order shop, with references. 8 Sydney Arcade.

MASON wanted to cut piers and steps, at Ryde. Apply early, Montgomery, 13 Raper-st, Newtown.

MACHINISTS.—Skirts, Blouses, exp. hands only. Gosnell, 18 York-chbrs, Liverpool st, opp. Cent. P.S.

MINE CARPENTER wanted, one used to erecting poppet legs preferred. Apply Finch, 12 Loftus-st.

MACHINISTS and Improvers wanted for Dressmaking. Apply 24 Union-st, North Sydney.

MACHINER wanted for Coats. W. J. Blackmore and Co., 218 Kent-st.

MACHINISTS for coats, skirts, and costumes, wages for first-class hands 30s per week, constant. B. LYONS, 230 Clarence-street.

MANCHESTER DEPARTMENT.—Competent MAN, take charge, thoroughly experienced. Employment Department, Y.M.C.A.

MACHINISTS.—FINISHERS (20) wanted at once, constant work, highest wages; also Beginners, 5s to start; healthy and well-lighted room. Apply early, SMETHURST, Ltd., 33 Campbell-street, Glebe.

MANNING RIVER DISTRICT HOSPITAL (TAREE). TRAINING SCHOOL.

Applications are invited from certificated NURSES (A.T.N.A.) for the POSITION of HEAD NURSE in the above institution. Salary £42 per annum. Applications, with testimonials, and stating age, to be in the hands of the secretary, by 3rd November.

GEO. B. MORRIS, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SYDNEY. JUNIOR CLERKSHIP.

Applications will be received by the undersigned until 10 o'clock a.m. on SATURDAY NEXT, 16th OCTOBER, 1909, from Educated Youths, about 17 years of age, for VACANCIES in the Council's Service.

Applicants must have passed one of the following examinations:—

University Matriculation, Senior or Junior.
Public Service.
Institute of Bankers.
Chamber of Commerce.

Applicants must also be proficient in Shorthand and Typewriting, and quick and accurate at figures, and should intending applicants not possess these qualifications they need not apply.

Salary to commence at the rate of £52 per annum.

THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Sydney, 11th October, 1909.

OFFICE BOY wanted, previous experience. No. 67, Herald Office, King-st.

OFFICE BOY wanted, 10s to start, good advancement for smart lad. Box 146, G.P.O.

OFFICE BOY. Hart, 18 Linden-court, Market and Castlereagh sts.

OFFICE BOY wanted, must be smart at figures and good writer, wages 10s. Apply with copy reference to Secretary, Box 1500, G.P.O.

PRINTERS.—Feeders for cylinder and platten machines, good wages. Matthews and Co., 127 York-st.

PRINTING.—BOY wanted for machine room. C. Chalcraft, 20 Regent-st, Redfern.

PLATEN FEEDERS wanted (boys or girls). H. C. Martyn and Son, 14 Castlereagh-st.

PLASTERER'S Labourer wanted. Granville Fire Station, or 3 Margaret-st, Newtown, after 6 p.m.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, smart IMPROVER, 6s. Lane Cove Ferry, 7 a.m.

PAINTER wanted, few days. Apply early, Argyle, South-avenue, Leichhardt.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, good Brush Hand; 7.30. Corner Liverpool and Pitt sts.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, second-grade Man, also improver. Edmonds, 220 Rose-st, Darlington.

PLASTERER'S Improver. New shops, corner William and Crown sts, Woolloomooloo.

PAINTER, second grade, wanted. A. W. Collis, Boronia, Raglan-st, Mosman.

PLASTERERS and two HODCARRIERS wanted. McLaren-st, N. Sydney.

PAINTER, good 2nd grade, used kalso., 9 a.m., Outside Edgecliff Post-office, Tuesday.

PLASTERER, for job Repairing. Gordon House, Gordon-st., Brighton-le-Sands, Rockdale.

PRESSER.—Woman wanted for white work, also Boy, messages, handy. Lamb and Brown, 533 George-st.

PLUMBERS.—1 Plumber, 2 smart Improvers, used to roof work. A. Charlesworth, Hunter's Hill. T., 68.

PLUMBERS.—Wanted, a good General Hand or first-class Improver, also Boy. 128 Liverp'l-rd, Ashf'd.

PLUMBER'S IMPROVER, roof work. W. H. Watson, 85 Lymerston-st, St. Peters, near Sydenham.

PRINTERS. PLATEN MACHINIST wanted, one used to Armory Press preferred. TURNER and HENDERSON, 254 George-street.

PARENTS.—Splendid opportunity for respectable LAD to learn Mechanical Dentistry. Small premium required. Apply with parent to GEORGE and GEORGE, Dentists, 203 Pitt-street.

REQUIRED, competent READER to check proofs of small journal monthly. 105, Herald Office.

RESPECTABLE BOY wanted. Apply Purdie, chemist, 98 Phillip-st, city.

STRONG YOUTH wanted, 15s. Roneo Co., Ltd., 21 Hunter-st.

SMART LAD wanted for Grocer's Shop. Gardner, 278 Darling-st, Balmain.

POSITIONS VACANT.

SHIRTMAKERS.—Machinists, stock work, power machines, for Adelaide. Apply Box 1161, Sydney.

SMART Young Clerk, good wages, exp. fruit trade pref. Apply Phillips, Fruit Mkts., Bathurst-st.

SMART LADS wanted, 15 to 17 years of age, copies of refs. Apply H. H. Groth and Co., 529 George-st.

SMART LAD, wages 12s 6d per week. Excelsior Macaroni Company, Brighton-le-Sands, Rockdale.

SHIRTMAKERS.—Wanted, sm. Front Hands, Seamers, Finishers, const. Nat. Shirt Fac., Parker-st, Hmkt.

SHORTHAND and Typist. State experience, salary required to Merchant, Q. V. Markets P.O.

SMART BOYS wanted, good chance. Art Overmantel Co., 19 Market-st.

SHIRTMAKERS, Trimmers, Presser and Folder, weekly wage, constant. Simpson, Knox-st, nr. Grace Bros.

SMART GIRLS wanted, just from school, for cash register, wages 7s 6d. Mick Simmons, Haymkt.

SHIRTMAKERS.—Apprentices to learn trade, wages 6s to start. Gordon's, 55 Clarence-st.

SMART young Ladies, Apprentices to Sales. C. H. Gardiner's Boot Emp., 39, 43, 45-7 Regent-st, Redf.

SEAMPRESSER wanted, must be tip-top, one used to mantles preferred. Elliott and Co., 234 Clarence-st.

SMART LAD wanted. Smith and Lane, 15 Bridge-st.

SHIRTMAKERS.—Wanted, Shirt Machinists, smart Presser; also Girls, finishing, constant, good wages. VICTORIA MANUFACTURING CO., 218A Sussex-street.

SHIRTMAKERS.—MACHINISTS for all branches, constant work, good prices; also Button Sewers and Cotton Pickers. DEW and CO., Dalwood-chambers, 117 Bathurst-street.

SMART BRICKLAYER, accustomed to building in boilers. Apply JOHN FELL and CO., 119 George-st North, at 9 o'clock.

SMART CASHIER wanted, male or female, must be good writer and quick at figures, age about 16 years. H. H. GROTH and CO., 529 George-street.

SYDNEY CLERKS AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S BENEFIT ASSOCIATION, 109 Pitt-street.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the position of SECRETARY to the above Association. Applications to be in writing, addressed to "The Chairman of Directors," stating age, salary, and qualifications. Personal canvassing of directors will disqualify.

Applications must be made on or before 19th inst.

TINSMITHS.—Machine Hands wanted, for Side Seamer. Canister Works, 102 Sussex-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Coat, Vest Hands wanted, constant work. Hagon and Co., 163 Pitt-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Trousers Hands wanted. Messiter and Ferguson, 545 George-st, Sydney.

TO BUTCHERS.—Wanted, a smart MAN for cutting trade; good wages. K. V., P.O., Redfern.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, COAT HANDS. A. E. Minty, Walker-st, North Sydney.

TO BRICKLAYERS.—Wanted, Man to set copper. S. Eastwood, Strathfield.

TAILORESSES.—Trousers and Vest Hands wanted; also Improvers. E. Yedwogh, 105 Regent-st, Rdfrn.

TO PAINTERS.—Wanted, 2 Brush Hands, 8 o'clock, Gordon House, Gordon-st, Brighton-le-Sands.

TAILORESSES.—Machinists, for juveniles, indoor and outdoor. Bennett's, 13 Shepherd-st, nr. Grace's.

TO TAILORESSES.—Trousers Hands wanted, outdoor, constant work. L. Myerson and Son, 752 George-st.

TAILORESSES.—Good Coat Table Hands and Improvers, orders. 50 Albion-st, Surry Hills.

TO TAILORESSES.—Improvers and Apprentices to Coats; also Girls, sew on buttons. 433 Kent-st.

TAILORING.—Improver wanted for trousers. J. M. Dance, 554 George-st, city.

TO PAINTERS.—Wanted, first-class MEN only. Apply J. Robinson, Milson's Point wharf.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, VEST Hands, in or out. Thos. Purcell, Wood's-chambers, Moore-st.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, a good Trousers Hand, at once. N. H. Scott, 182 King-st, Newtown.

TAILORS.—Wanted, a Coat Improver, constant work. N. H. Scott, 182 King-st, Newtown.

TO TAILORESSES.—Trousers Makers wanted, constant. D. Adams, 150 Military-rd, Neutral Bay.

TO TAILORESSES.—Coat Hands wanted. Messiter and Ferguson, 545 George-st, Sydney.

TAILORING.—Seam Presser wanted. J. B. Dance, 554 George-st, city.

TAILORS.—Wanted, Coat Hands. A. E. Minty, Walker-st, North Sydney.

TAILORS.—Wanted, COATMAKERS, constant. Frank Howes and Co., 95 King-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Vest Hands, permanent position. Saml. Bowen, 101 Regent-st.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, COAT MAKERS. 227 George-st.

TAILORESSES.—Lining Machinists for Coats, also Apprens. W. J. Blackmore and Co., 218 Kent-st.

TAILORESSES.—First-class Trous. Hands, constant. John W. Fosey, 129 King-st, Newtown.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Vest Hands, at once, constant work. 203 King-st, Newtown.

TAILORS.—Wanted, good COAT HAND, at once. Ernest Swinney, 16A Pitt-st, city.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, two VEST HANDS. R. C. Hagon, 129 King-st.

TAILORS and Tailoresses, for Newcastle, first-class Coat Makers, piece or wkly. Irvine, 321 Geo.-st, S.

TAILORS.—1st-cl. Presser, at once, for N'castle, per. job for good man. Irvine, 321 George-st, Sydney.

TO Tailors.—Wanted, first-cl. Coat and Trousers Makers. 48 Castlereagh-st, opp. Hotel Australia.

TAILORESSES.—Vest Makers wanted. D. Braham and Co., 80 King-st.

TAILORS.—Coatmakers wanted. D. Braham and Co., 80 King-st.

TAILORESSES.—Trousers Makers wanted. D. Braham and Co., 80 King-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Good Coat, Vest, and Trousers Hands wanted. Price and Co., 114 King-st.

TEACHERS' REGISTRY, EQUITABLE-BUILDING.—DAILY TEACHER for primary work, school, immediately, botany essential; Morning Governess, Hurstville, 1 girl of 9, £20.

TAILORESSES.—Trousers Hands, outdoor, stock, 10s to 14s doz.; also Improvers and App., to buttonhole machine, and App. to coats. LIMBURG and MICHAEL, 772 George-street, Haymarket.

TAILORESSES.—TROUSERS MACHINISTS, Outdoor TROUSERS and KNICKER MAKERS, JUVENILE HANDS. L. ISAACS and SON, corner Clarence and Market streets.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, TROUSERS HANDS, constant work, good wages. R. C. HAGON, 129 King-street.

TAILORESSES.—Apprentices wanted, for order work. H. H. KELLY, LTD., 236 Castlereagh-street.

TAILORESSES. We require GOOD VEST HANDS. Mr. Gill, W. LOWE and CO., Merchant Tailors, George-street.

TAILORESSES. We require GOOD TROUSERS HANDS. Mr. Gill, W. LOWE and CO., Merchant Tailors, George-street.

TAILORESSES.—We require first-class Coat HANDS, for basting out, good wages, constant work guaranteed. Mr. GILL, W. LOWE and CO., Merchant Tailors, George-street.

TAILORESSES.—Coat Machinists, also Table Hands, all grades; Juvenile Coat and Trous. Machinists, Improvers and Apprentices for all garments, constant. M'ARTHUR, Ltd., 77 York-street.

TAILORESSES.—COAT HANDS wanted, baste under and out, also FELLERS, good wages to competent hands. BRITISH CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS, Ltd., 14-16 York-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—We require TROUSERS MACHINISTS, Improvers to Coat Machine, Improvers and Apprentices to Coats, Vests, and Trousers; also Outdoor Trousers Hands. Sonenfild, Sons, 337 Kent-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class TROUSERS MAKERS, constant work. B. PHILLIPS (late Hagon Bros.), 150 Pitt-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Good Coat Hands and Improvers, also Trousers and Vest Hands. Apply H. LEVY, Commercial-chambers, 80 Bathurst-street, 1st floor.

THE CIVIL SERVICE STORES. JUNIOR CROCKERY PACKER wanted. Apply the Manager, Tuesday, 9.30 a.m.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class TROUSERS FINISHERS for Order and Stock Work; also Improvers and Apprentices for Coats and Trousers, constant. Apply DAVID JONES, Ltd., 155 Clarence-street.

TAILORS.—Wanted, First-class FROCK and DRESS COAT MAKERS. No others need apply. FARMER and COMPANY, Limited.

WANTED, Asst. Bookkeeper, used country store. State salary reqd., J. J. Salkeld and Co., Dubbo.

WHITEWORK.—Good practical Machinists wanted, gd. pay, const. wk. Morehouse, Rayner, 409 Kent-st.

WANTED, smart BOY for office. Apply own handwriting, Merchant, Haymarket P.O.

WANTED, young lady as TYPISTE. State qualifications, salary wanted, apply Boronia, Herald.

WANTED, strong BOY for errands. Chemist, 246 George-st, after 10.

WANTED, smart BOY. Apply James Martin and Co., 661 George-st, Haymarket.

WANTED, a smart Painter, 1st grade, 7.30, this morn., no duffers, C. Huxley, Forest-rd, Hurstville.

WANTED, Junior Bank CLERK. State age, references, Box 585, G.P.O.

WANTED, strong, smart BOY, about 17 years, 10s start. Apply Box 469, G.P.O.

WANTED, BOY, just left school. Apply Tobin Metal Works, Barker-lane, off Duncan-st.

WANTED, Elec. Engineer, for motor and dynamo. Apply Forde's Garage, 135 Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, a BRICKLAYER. Apply Aaron's Exchange Hotel, Gresham st, city.

WANTED, SAILOR, for a day or two, to fix flagstaff. Apply 75 Clarence-st.

WANTED, smart Youth, for billiard-room, good prospects. Apply 9 a.m., W. Smith, Strand Arc.

WANTED, first-class COACHPAINTER, at once. Geo. Innes and Co., 156 Castlereagh-st, Sydney.

WANTED, small GIRL, cleaning and serving, in confectioner's, wages 10s. Milos, 504 George-st, city.

WANTED, Man, used to pick and shovel work. New buildings, next Public School, Lindfield.

WANTED, a young LADY, under 20, for shop, experienced. Apply W. A., Herald, King-st, city.

WANTED, a YOUTH, for cellar. Apply 8 o'clock, Roberts' Hotel, George and Market sts.

WANTED, smart BOY for messages. Apply Sydney Gramophone Supplies, 325 George-st, city.

WANTED, smart, intelligent YOUTH, good wages to start. B. Phillips, 150 Pitt-st.

WANTED, Office Boy, gd. app., some experience, wages 10s. Simpson and Cohen, 44 C'reagh-st.

WANTED, Junior CLERK. State experience and salary required to Junior, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, good Builder's LABOURER. Alteration, 15 O'Connell-st, city.

WANTED, RUBBLE MASONS. Tivoli-st, Mosman; or Thomson-st, Drummoyne.

WANTED, Apprentices and Improvers to Dressmaking. Apply 24 Union-st, off Blue's Point-rd, N.S.

WANTED, bright Boy in mercantile house, give age, reference, address, 'Phone, Herald Office.

WANTED, strong Boy, just left school. J. B. Philip and Son, Printers, 52 Margaret-st.

WANTED, Message Boy to make himself gen. useful, salary 10s. International Mfg. Agt., 250 George-st.

WANTED, smart house-to-house Canvassers, accust. incandes. lamp ware. Int. Mfg. Agt., 250 Geo.-st.

POSITIONS VACANT.

WANTED, a Boy, about 16 or 17, one who can milk. Apply T. Powell, Mortlake.

WANTED, good BOY, wishing to learn hairdressing. J. W. Smith, Circular Quay.

WANTED, first-class CARPENTER and Joiner. Job next Summer Hill P.O.

WANTED, BENCH HANDS. W. Hoskins and Sons, 186 and 188 Sussex-st.

WANTED, OFFICE BOY, good prospects for smart Lad. R. J. Mulholland and Co., 119 Sussex-st.

WANTED, smart Lad, just leaving school, knowl. of shorthand prefd. S. Walder, 298 Pitt-st.

WANTED, Lad, to learn trade, wages 15s, must have good references. Apply T. A., Herald Office.

WANTED, a HODCARRIER and 2 good BRICKLAYERS. Ap. Moore's job, Gordon-rd, Chatswood.

WANTED, GROCER'S CARTER. Apply H. Burns, corner Mullens and Reynolds sts, Balmain.

WANTED, UPHOLSTERERS. T. Taylor and Co., Washington-place, foot of Bathurst-st.

WANTED, a little GIRL, for confectionery shop. Apply 552A George-st, opp. Town Hall.

WANTED, young Lady TYPIST. Apply I. O'Rourke, Bridge's-chbrs., King and Sussex sts.

WANTED, smart GIRLS for packing foodstuffs and labelling bottles, wages 7s start. 23 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, Carpenter, give price fixing cott.; also sm. Impvr. Unwin's Br.-rd and Grove-st, Syd'ham.

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FUNERALS.

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AMOS.—The Funeral of the late Rev. C. E. AMOS will leave St. Giles' Church, Greenwich, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10.30 o'clock, for Gore Hill Cemetery. Service at 10 a.m.
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BLAIR.—The Funeral of the late Mr. CHARLES LITHGOW BLAIR will leave his sister's residence, St. James'-road, Waverley, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, South Head. By request, no flowers.
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CLARK.—The Relatives and Friends of the late Mrs. EMILY C. CLARK are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will leave her mother's residence, 117 Botany-street, Waterloo, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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CLOWES.—The Friends of Mr. ROBERT BRUNTON are respectively invited to attend the Funeral of his AUNT, Rose Clowes; to move from Coffill and Co.'s Funeral Parlours, Harris-street, THIS DAY, at 1.45, for Field of Mars.

FITTON.—The Friends of the late Mr. FRANCIS TERENCE FITTON are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 18 Parkham-street, Moore Park, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
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KNOLL.—The Relatives and Friends of the late FRANCIS JOSEPH KNOLL are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to leave the Hospice, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at quarter to 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
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MUNRO.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DONALD MUNRO are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, Donald Alexander; to move from the Balmain Cottage Hospital THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Mortuary.
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MUNRO.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DONALD ALEXANDER MUNRO, Senr., are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved GRANDSON, Donald Alexander; to move from the Balmain Cottage Hospital THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Mortuary.
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NEW.—The Friends of Mrs. ELIZABETH NEW are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly-loved SON, Albert; to leave Royal Alexandra Hospital, Camperdown, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
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NIELSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST JAMES NIELSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved infant DAUGHTER, Vera Annie, which will move from their residence, No. 10 Bligh-street, North Sydney, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10.15 o'clock, for the Gore Hill Cemetery.
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RANKEN.—The Funeral of the late Mr. JAMES AUSTRALIA RANKEN will leave his residence, Weeroona, Adolph-street, Neutral Bay, THIS TUESDAY, at 8 a.m., for Gore Hill Cemetery.
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SANTER.—The Friends of the late Mr. CHARLES SANTER, Sen., are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 214A Cleveland-street, city, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for St. Paul's Church, Redfern, thence, after service, to the Necropolis.
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SANTER.—The Friends of Mr. SAMUEL HEALEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly-loved FRIEND, Mr. Charles Santer; to leave 214A Cleveland-street, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for St. Paul's Church, thence, after service, to Necropolis.
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WILD.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. EVA J. WILD will leave our Funeral Parlours, 61 Oxford-street, Paddington (foot of Barracks), TO-MORROW (Wednesday), at 8.45 a.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
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WANTED, a respectable Girl as GENERAL. Apply 18 Cambridge-st, Enmore.

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WANTED, middle-aged WOMAN, light housework, 34 Pine st, city.

WANTED, a Cook-Laundress, also young Girl, to assist in housework. Apply 217 Victoria-st, Dhst.

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WANTED, a young GIRL, about 15 years, for housework. After 9 a.m., 119 George-st W.

WANTED, a young COOK and LAUNDRESS. Mrs. J. C. Smith, The Briars, Strathfield.

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WANTED, Situation as Waitress or H.M.-Waitress; open 3 days. G.W., Oxford-st Post-office.

WIDOW, 36, with boy (14), des. place as W. Housekeeper, bach qrs., 25s. M. L., 35 Toogood-st, Ersk.

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WANTED by superior young lady from country, Position as Doormaid at Doctor's or Dentist's Rooms, good reference from doctor. Allegro, 339 Liverpool-st, Darlinghurst.

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YOUNG Widow wants work by day, thoroughly experienced, good refs. E.V.L., P.O., Enmore.

YOUNG Woman, from country (baby, 10 mths.), wants Sit., small family. Pearl, Newtown Post-office.

YOUNG Woman, country, yg. child, wants W. Hkpr., and. or widower, Padd. pref. Neta, P.O., Padd.

YG. Man seeks Pos. as Carter, married, steady, reference. Carter, P.O., Hurstville.

YG. MAN, country, as Groom and Useful, good with horse. No. 8 Livingstone-rd, Marrickville.

YG. Man, do few hours' morng. work in garden, in part or full ret. for bed and breakf. C.H., Herald.

LOST AND FOUND.

GOOD REW.—LOST, Manly, Sund. morn., Stone Marten Fur Necklet. Mrs. Peacock, 6 Stuart-av, Manly.

LADY seen picking up Purse in handkerchief, Kim.-st, Padd., kindly ret. to 18 M'Garvie-st, Paddington.

LEFT Bellevue Hill tram or Quay, Green Purse, init. M.M.; rew. New cottage, Rosalind-st, N. Sydney.

LEFT in Bondi Junction tram, Saturday, Basket, ctg. ext. Please return 15 Denison-st, Waverley.

LOST, 2 £5 Postal Notes, drawn Mar'ville, Friday; payment stopped; reward. 230 Elizabeth-st, city.

LOST, Sunday, Gold-fr. Spectacles, bet. Ebley-Newland sts, Bondi Jn; rwd. 129 Oxford-st, Bondi J.

LOST, in Crown-st, tram, bar. morn., bet. Crown and Moore sts, s. Parcel, ctg. jwlry. 301 Crown st.

LOST, between Wallis-st and Centennial Park, gold bar (2) heart pearl Brooch; rwd. 22 Wallis-st, Whra.

LOST, Australian Terrier, about 7 weeks ago, answers name Ginger; Reward. Return 19 Darlinghurst-rd.

LOST, white and brown SPANIEL; detainer will be prosecuted; Reward. 17 William-st, Paddington.

LOST, Centennial Park, Saturday, Gold BRACELET; Reward. 73 Hargrave-st, Paddington.

LOST, small red Bitch; £1 Reward. Stewart, Vet. Surgeon, Rushcutter Bay.

LOST, gold Safety-Pin Brooch, daisy set in centre, bet. Cent. Park and Paling's; rwd. 5s. 21 Roslyn-st, Dar.

LOST, Dulwich Hill, gold circle Brooch, set pearls and sapphire; 10s rwd. 32 Old Canterbury-rd, Lewisham.

LOST, Sunday night, Petersham Park or thereabouts, amtst, Locket, chain; rwd. Doone, Tebbutt-st, Ldt.

LOST, Pearl-set Cross and Neck Chain, Randwick-Coogee; rew. Mt. Pleasant, Wentworth-st, R'wick.

LOST, city, Saturday, Amethyst, Pearl Chain Bangle. Reward on ret., Eureka, Bunnerong-rd, Kensington.

LOST, Gold BANGLE, Saturday or Sunday, in Darlinghurst. Finder ret. 96 Victoria-st N. Reward.

LOST, Gold Bangle, Monday, between Kellet and York sts; reward. Apply 2 Kellet-st.

LOST, Motor Car Tyre Cover, Sund., bet. Tom Ugly's and Granv.; rew. Hutton, Strand L., Co., Eliz. st.

LOST, Circ. Quay and Narrabeen, Gun Metal Watch, Rly. Pass, chain, 5s rew. O'Dwyer, Lands Dept.

LOST, Dingy, Sunday night. Finder please communicate Woodward, 130 Sussex-st. Reward.

LOST, Pair Specs., in case, betw. G'burn-st and T. Hall. Rew., Union Label Tailoring Co., Haymkt.

LOST, Sunday, Gold Bangle, M'Gregor and Elizabeth sts, Croydon; reward. Cambourne, M'Gregor-st, Cr.

LOST, betw. Croydon and Darlington, Pearl and Sapphire Brooch; rew. 61 Croydon-rd, Croydon.

LOST, between Bondi and W'lahra, Sun., Cab Rug; rew. Cab Rank, W'lahra Council-chambers.

LOST, Cent. Rail. Stn., Sat., Gold-rim. Spectacles, blk. case; rew. Woodford, King-st, Rockdale.

LOST, Purse, contg. gold, silv., nr. Tech. College; finder rewarded. Apply Secretary, College.

LOST, brown Hat, Moore Park, Sunday night. Return to 48 Ann-st, Surry Hills. Reward.

LOST, Purse, in tram, bet. Chatswood and M'Mahon's Pt.; rew. Hambley, Fruiterer, Vic.-av, Chatswood.

LOST, Scroll Diam. Ring, at Refresh. Rms., Nat. Park, Sun.; rew. Bellamey, Chemist, King-st.

LOST, Sun., road Oatley Bay, Basket, contg. cushion, child's clothing. Please return P.O., Hurstville.

LOST, Manly Beach, gold Bangle, crescent, pearls, sapphires; reward. Arnman, Pile-st, Marrickville.

LOST, Botany tram, Sunday, Peggy Bag, contg. gold, silv., latchkey; reward. 152 Victoria-rd, M'ville.

LOST, Sunday night, Turquoise EARRING; reward. Write 23 Raglan-st, Darlington.

LOST, Opal Tube Brooch, Sat., Cremorne boat or Cremorne-rd; reward. 79 Regent-st, Newtown.

LOST, Chestnut MARE, white foot, branded M. £1 reward. C. Cocks, Booth-st, Annandale.

LOST, Tuesday, Australian Silky Dog; rew. Persons keeping will be pros. Morrison, Pitt-st, Milson's P.

LOST, the Morning Headache, now that I stick to DICKENS WHISKY.

LOST, pair FIELD GLASSES, Ross's prism, 12 power, No. 21157, in brown leather case.
HALL PORTER,
£1 reward. Athenaeum Club.

LOST, Monday morning, from Railway Station to Moore-street, via tram, Castlereagh-street, Gold WATCH and CHAIN; good reward. Apply No. 5, ground floor, Ocean House, Moore-street, city.

LOST, from Canary Hill, Belmore, one Dark Brown MARE, like MW near shoulder, white hind foot, star in forehead. Good reward to return to W. HOOK, Canary Hill.

LOST, between Randwick and Newtown, gold square and compass SCARFPIN, set with pearls. Liberal Reward. D. ROBERTSON, 12 Albermarle-street, Newtown.

LOST, Gold Bamboo BANGLE, between St. Stephen's Church, Willoughby, and Boundary-street, Roseville. PERRY, Roslyn, Boundary-street, Roseville.

LOST, Brown LEATHER PURSE, containing half sovereign and enamelled medallion; good reward. 54 Carrington-street, Wynyard-square.

LOST, Lady's EXPANDING GOLD BRACELET, on the 10.57 boat from Neutral Bay, Monday; reward. PEEK, York-chambers, Market-street.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Strayed, Monday, October 4, Sable and White COLLIE BITCH, about four months old. The above reward will be paid on returning, or for information leading to recovery.
D. GYTE,
Wellman's Gardens, Abbotsford.

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REWARD.—Lost, Fox-terrier DOG, 2 large spots on body. Hotel Sackville, Darlinghurst, R'wick.

REWARD.—Lost, from Royal Sovereign Hotel, Darlinghurst-rd, Pug Dog. Finder please return.

REWARD.—Lost, betw. city and Bondi, Leather Bag, tools, Sat. n. Griffiths, Oakwood, Stephen-st, Bondi.

STRAYED on Saturday, a Tan and White Collie Dog; a gt. rew. Nelson Cottage, Pickering L., W'lahra.

FOUND, on Saturday, Water SPANIEL. Apply P.H., 253 Cleveland-st, Redfern.

FOUND, white Bull-terrier Slut, collar on. Charles Hanney, 31 Darley-st, Newtown.

FOUND, gent.'s Umbrella, Dul. Hill, owner have same paying expenses. Higginson, Dulwich Hill.

FOUND, sum Money, owner give partics. value, where lost, evening. M. Sillett, 31 Union-st, Petersham.

FOUND in Botanical Gardens, Oct. 1, Purse, ctg. money, keys. H. Crummer, Margaret-st W'wich.

FOUND at Randwick Racecourse, LEATHER PURSE, Lens of Field Glass, Tobacco Pouch, 2 Gossamers. Apply A.J.C. OFFICE, 6 Bligh-street, Sydney.

IMPOUNDED Leichhardt, Creamy MARE, O near shoulder; Brown MARE, J near shoulder.

LADY who inq'd for Collie Dog come. If not claimed in 2 days will be sold. 49 L. Albion-st, Surry Hills.

STRAYED into my yard, Jacques-st, Chatswood, Horse, branded CY. Owner may have pay exps. W. Day.

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GENT., m.a., lonely, constant, des. acq. companion, lady, similarly situated, v. m. Hope, Herald.

GENTLEMAN (grey suit) or others, tried to rescue lady tram accident Tuesday last, Nelson-street, Annandale, kindly call or write. Rotorua, 3 Percival-road, Stanmore.

MRS. DAISY McPHERSON, of Zetland (?), late of Navua, Fiji, please communicate with SECRETARY, Sydney Branch Amalgamated Engineers.

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MR. GORDON FOSTER can be consulted 171 Bourke-st, off William-st, city, today, 10 to 8.

TO Spiritualists.—Miss Mitchell, at home to-night, 8, 146 Underwood-st, cor. Elizabeth-st, Paddington.

MRS. WOODS, interviews daily. Last week. 407 Elizabeth-st, near Devonshire-st.

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